SHOPPERS DRUG MART
SEE WHAT'S NEW... CHECK OUT OUR LATEST OFFER ON PAGE 20

VANCOUVER metro®
NEWS WORTH SHARING.

SIMON PEGG AND THE SEARCH FOR HAPPINESS

ACTOR, CO-STAR QUIP ABOUT THEIR OWN QUESTS FOR CONTENTMENT PAGE 19

Will Canada accept larger Mid-East role?

Harper says government to debate U.S. request PAGE 8

Slim on the runway, huge on Twitter

Monetizing models' online fandom PAGE 21

City may add 'e-' to cigarette laws

'Cautious regulatory approach.' E-cigarettes lumped in with tobacco despite little research

EMILY JACKSON
emily.jackson@metronews.ca

A Vancouver city staff report is recommending that e-cigarettes be banned everywhere tobacco smoking is. NAM Y. HUH/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE

Everybody knows that smokin' ain't allowed almost everywhere in Vancouver, but soon that rule could apply to e-cigarettes as well.

The city is proposing a ban on e-cigarettes — battery-powered devices that vaporize a solution to be inhaled and exhaled, much like cigarette smoke — everywhere tobacco smoking is prohibited.

That includes beaches, parks, the seawall, public golf courses, bus shelters, patios and within six metres of any door or window into a building.

Council is scheduled to vote on the proposed bylaw amendment next week.

Despite very limited research on health risks associated with e-cigarettes and second-hand vapour, the city's general manager of community services recommends the ban as a "cautious regulatory approach" to avoid potential harmful effects of second-hand vapour and to not expose youth to smoking, according to a report released Wednesday.

The city made its recommendation based on advice from Vancouver Coastal Health's chief medical health officer Dr. Patricia Daly, who conducted a review of available studies on e-cigarettes.

While not all e-cigarettes contain nicotine, the vaporized solutions may contain ingredients such as propylene glycol, artificial flavours, volatile organic compounds, heavy metals and particulates, according to the report. These substances leave the city concerned that second-hand vapour could lead to asthma, lung irritation or cancer.

But the city seems more concerned that e-cigarettes could be a "gateway to tobacco use" for young people.

E-cigarettes are often sold near energy drinks and candy, and solutions come in flavours such as cherry crush and bubblegum, leaving researchers afraid that young people will get the impression that smoking e-cigarettes is risk free, according to the report. They also fear that inadequate labels could lead youth to accidentally buy e-cigarettes with nicotine and become addicted.

If council passes the bylaw, retailers will no longer be allowed to display or sell e-cigarettes or solutions to minors. Restaurants will be required to update their no-smoking signs to include e-smoking language by Sept. 30, 2016.

Precedent

Red Deer, Alta., Innisfil, Ont. and Hantsport, N.S. have already instituted a ban on e-cigarettes.

- The topic was up for discussion at the Union of B.C. Municipalities conference in Whistler this week.

MBA and MS in Computer Security in Vancouver, Canada
For details, visit: nyit.edu/canada
or call 888-809-0418
email: vancouverinfo@nyit.edu

NYIT
NEW YORK INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

NORTH WEST

I LIVE CAMBIE + MARINE

CANADA LINE | WESTSIDE LOCATION | VIEWS | ASH PARK

LIVE WESTSIDE FROM

$269,900

- Located beside Ash Park, Northwest is the newest community to join the new South Cambie Village
- Directly across from the Canada Line Marine Drive Station
- Shopping & entertainment steps from your front door
- 1-3 bedroom homes showcasing panoramic views

COMING THIS FALL

REGISTER TODAY

604.325.5151

ONNI.COM

onni group™

This is not an offering for sale. Any such offering can only be made by way of disclosure statement. Renderings are artists interpretation only. Prices are subject to change without notice. E.&O.E.

FIVE THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW TODAY

1
A GOOD TRIBUTE
Retired broadcaster Bill Good will be recognized tonight with a "blistering tribute" hosted by the Vancouver Board of Trade. Roasters will include Premier Christy Clark and billionaire Jimmy Pattison among others.

2
COPE RAISES HOPES
COPE mayoral candidate Meena Wong is announcing her second major initiative of the 2014 civic campaign this morning outside Oakridge Mall. Wong is pledging to "give Vancouver a raise."

3
AUSTEN ZOMBIES
Game of Thrones' Lena Headey and Charles Dance have signed on for the adaptation of zomb-lit hit Pride and Prejudice and Zombies, based on Seth Graeme-Smith's 2009 modification of the Jane Austen classic.

4
HOME DEPOT
Some lenders are preparing to reissue credit or debit cards to customers to head off possible losses following the Home Depot data breach, Capital One Financial and JPMorgan Chase & Co. said Wednesday.

5
ANTI-DENGUE MOSQUITOES
Brazilian researchers have freed a batch of mosquitoes with a dengue-blocking bacteria they hope can combat the tropical disease naturally as part of a global project.

Caissie denied parole over fears he might cause 'serious harm or death'

Second-degree murder charge. Police issued a warning about Caissie being a violent, high-risk offender when he was released from prison last year

NEAL HALL
vancouver@metronews.ca

The violent sex offender accused of killing a Surrey teen last week had been repeatedly denied release from prison by the parole board in the past because of fears he would kill or cause serious harm to another victim.

The national parole board repeatedly stated that it was satisfied that Raymond Lee Caissie should not be released from prison because he "will likely commit an offence causing another person serious harm or death prior to the end of your sentence," according to parole board documents released Wednesday.

Caissie himself also expressed fears about being released in the community because he had spent almost his entire life behind bars since the age of 15, and did not know whether he could cope with the modern world outside the prison walls.

"In essence, you are afraid that if released you will reoffend," the parole board noted in a 2008 decision to keep Caissie in prison because he continued to pose a serious danger to public safety.

Police had issued a public warning last year about Caissie being a violent, high-risk offender when he was released from prison after serving his entire 22-year sentence for the repeated sex assault at knifepoint and the robbery of a young woman in Abbotsford in 1991.

After raping her, he took the young woman, a kindergarten teacher, to a bank machine and forced her to withdraw cash.

He then left the woman tied to a tree in a remote area and used her car to flee.

Two days later, he robbed another Matsqui woman who was walking her two-year-old in a stroller.

After he was sentenced to 22 years in prison for his crimes, Caissie said, "See you in 22 years," as he was led from court.

Caissie was eligible for statutory release from prison in 2006 after serving two-thirds of his sentence, but was denied release because he still posed a high public safety risk.

He had annual detention review hearings until his release in March 2013.

Serena Vermeersch

Caissie, 43, was arrested and charged last weekend with second-degree murder in the death of Serena Vermeersch, 17. The teen's body was found near train tracks in Surrey on Sept. 16, a day after her mother reported her missing.

Raymond Caissie has been charged with the murder of 17-year-old Serena Vermeersch. RCMP/METRO FILE

BRIGHTON COLLEGE'S $1000 BACK TO SCHOOL GRANT*
SEPTEMBER 1ST-30TH
Internet Marketing
Information Technology
All full-time enrollments in our diploma programs are rewarded a $1000 grant.*
100% Practicum Placement • Flexible Schedules
Call Today! 604-901-5121
*Full details on form. Promotion Ends September 30, 2014.
Better Training. Brighter Future. Brighton College.
www.brightoncollege.com

HURRY, SALE ENDS SUNDAY!

BLINDS, SHADES, SHUTTERS, DRAPES & MORE!

SAVE HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS WHEN YOU ADD MOTORIZATION*

PLUS, BUY 3 WINDOW COVERINGS AND GET 1 FREE*

CONTACT YOUR LOCAL STYLE CONSULTANT TO GET STARTED TODAY!

BUDGET BLINDS DOES IT FOR YOU, SO YOU DON'T HAVE TO.

1 EXPLORE YOUR CHOICES
2 PROFESSIONAL MEASURING
3 PROFESSIONAL INSTALLATION
4 BEST WARRANTY IN THE INDUSTRY

BudgetBlinds.ca | 877-758-4929

Budget Blinds

Canada's #1 choice for window coverings.

*Offer good on selected Signature Series® window treatments only. Discount applies to lesser priced item. Ask for details about motorized coverings. Offer valid at participating franchises only and at time of initial estimate only. Not valid with any other offers, discounts, or coupons. Some restrictions may apply. Valid for a limited time only. ©2014 Budget Blinds, Inc. All Rights Reserved. Budget Blinds is a trademark of Budget Blinds, Inc. and a Home Franchise Concepts Brand. Each franchise independently owned and operated.

A new report values the economic benefits of Vancouver's urban forests at $224 million a year. JENNIFER GAUTHIER/METRO

Urban forest rakes in the green: Report

Tree power. Canopy generates $224 million in economic benefits

MATT KIELTYKA
matt.kieltyka@metronews.ca

The Lower Mainland's urban forests are worth their weight in green.

According to a TD Economics report released Wednesday, the trees lining city streets, living in yards and occupying parks throughout the Metro Vancouver region have an economic benefit of $224 million per year.

The report came up with the dollar figure by calculating the value of measurable benefits of trees in the form of air quality, energy saving (by providing shade), carbon sequestration and improving wet-weather flow.

"It's great to look at the economic value and the pros and cons of parks for those that need the numbers. It's for the accountants," said Patricia Thomson, executive director of the Stanley Park Ecology Society.

"It's not easy to put a value on something like the recreation, improved mental health and serenity you get from nature."

The TD report, coinciding with National Tree Day on Sept. 24, concludes that each dollar spent on urban forests in the region amounts to a "significant payoff" of $4.59 in annual benefits for residents.

Thomson was quick to point out green spaces like Stanley Park also offer countless other quality of life, educational and environmental benefits that can't be measured in dollars.

The report did, however, identify a need for improvement within City of Vancouver boundaries.

Canopy cover in the city was "the lowest of the major cities we have examined," the report found.

Vancouver has just 18 per cent canopy cover. In comparison, Surrey boasts 32 per cent.

It's a problem that the city has identified as part of its urban forestry strategy, which has set a goal of planting 150,000 new trees by 2020.

WITH FILES FROM EMILY JACKSON

Unanimous

Restore ferry service, vote urges

It doesn't matter if they're on the Coast or in the Interior, municipalities across B.C. aren't impressed with fare hikes and service cutbacks at B.C. Ferries.

Local representatives at the Union of B.C. Municipalities conference in Whistler voted unanimously Wednesday to urge the government to restore service and cancel fare increases, a decision implemented this spring. Despite the collective call, the province did not seem willing to budge on the changes, according to comments from MLA Todd Stone. EMILY JACKSON/METRO

'Horseplay.' Teacher suspended for homophobic prank on Grade 11 student

A Langley teacher has been suspended over a homophobic prank he played on a Grade 11 student in class.

Daniel Mark Ogloff is a metal fabrication and machining teacher at Aldergrove Community Secondary School.

On Sept. 24, 2013, Ogloff wrote "I'm gay" on a piece of masking tape and affixed it to the back of the male student's jacket.

He allowed other students to take pictures and let the boy leave class unaware of the tape on his back, describing it to officials later as "horseplay."

Ogloff had earlier received a verbal warning from the school district over comments he made to Grade 7 students and he received another letter over comments to a Grade 12 student in class.

The district suspended him without pay for 10 weeks over the homophobic incident and the B.C. Commissioner of Teacher Regulation suspended his teaching certificate for two weeks, from Sept. 22 to Oct. 5.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Jail-sex case. Crown says Mountie viewed inmates as 'live entertainment'

A Mountie who watched two female inmates have sex in a jail cell seemed to consider the entire episode entertaining when he should have been intervening, says a Crown lawyer.

"We expect our loved ones who are taken into custody will be treated with dignity and respect," Winston Sayson said. "Their sexuality and bodily integrity must not become the officers' gallows humour."

Sayson was giving his closing arguments in the trial of RCMP Cpl. Rick Brown, who is charged with one count of breach of trust by a public officer. Brown was watch commander on Aug. 18, 2010, when he and other Mounties and at least one jail guard allegedly viewed the women's sex acts on closed-circuit monitor.

The Crown maintains Brown invited other officers to watch the women with him.

"The actions of the accused in failing to stop them, because he was watching them, is what causes this case to cross into the criminal realm," Sayson told B.C. Supreme Court.

Former Mountie Gary Kerr has testified that in 2010, the RCMP detachment in Kamloops was headed by then-Insp. Yves Lacasse, an "extreme bully," and that Brown was too afraid to tell him about the jail-sex incident.

But Sayson said that's irrelevant, and Brown's actions were criminal.

"Cpl. Brown, watching the women have sex in the jail cell, was corrupt," Sayson said. "It was a spectacle of seven men crowded into a small room to watch the monitors. Brown did not intervene … because to do so would end the live entertainment."

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Guilty plea. Restaurateur to be sentenced in case of hidden bathroom camera

The former co-owner of a now-closed Vancouver restaurant will be sentenced in December after pleading guilty to one count of secretly observing nudity in a private place.

Allan Bosomworth entered the guilty plea in provincial court on Tuesday.

Bosomworth was the co-owner of the Two Chefs and a Table restaurant, where he was accused of hiding a tiny camera in a bathroom and recording or observing people while they were naked.

He was charged in September 2013 after his business partner told police that he had discovered a USB-key-sized camera in the eatery's co-ed bathroom in December of the previous year.

Police have previously said one victim was identified by images recorded on a camera, but they could not identify other victims due to the poor video quality.

Bosomworth's sentencing is scheduled for Dec. 10.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Freed seal pups cause cuteness levels to rise in Burrard Inlet

A seal pup sits on a boat launch before heading back into the water after being released by the Vancouver Aquarium into Burrard Inlet on Wednesday. Seven seals were released by the aquarium's Marine Mammal Rescue Centre, which helps injured, sick or orphaned marine mammals.

JONATHAN HAYWARD/THE CANADIAN PRESS

VCC students, teachers brace for vote to save ESL program

Education. Without support, the program, which serves 2,200 students, will shut its doors on Dec. 17

EMILY JACKSON
emily.jackson@metronews.ca

Students and teachers at the Vancouver Community College's ESL program hope support from their board could convince the provincial government to save their program.

More than a dozen people pleaded the case for the advanced ESL program, which serves 2,200 students and is the largest in Western Canada, before the college's board of governors were scheduled to vote on whether it deserved saving Wednesday night.

In the absence of support from the board, the program will be resigned to shut its doors on Dec. 17, faculty association spokeswoman Karen Shortt said Wednesday.

But even if the board does support the program, the province won't necessarily give it the funding necessary to continue, Shortt said.

"The important thing there, the board would send a strong message to the government that this should not be cut," she said.

The program is slated for the chopping block due to federal cuts to its ESL program. The province opposed the changes and provided VCC $7.92 million to continue its operations for one year, but has no plans to continue the funding after 2014.

About 150 teachers will be laid off due to the cuts, according to Shortt. VCC will still employ 40 teachers for preliminary ESL classes for immigrants funded by the federal government, but it will no longer be able to teach higher levels of English needed for some professions.

Shortt maintains hope that the Ministry of Advanced Education will intervene to save the program.

In an email, government spokesperson Stacey McGaghey Jones said the ministry is working with institutions on how they can continue to offer some level of ESL.

The result of the board's vote was not available by Metro's deadline.

CANADIAN HEALTH CARE ACADEMY
Join our PN or ACCESS to PN Program and receive $2500 off of your tuition & a free Ipad
Evening Access to PN and PN morning classes Start on October 20th at New West Location
Pre-requisite for Access to PN and PN is free. Some conditions apply.
Offering Morning and Evening classes. Nursing Unit Clerk classes offered monthly. HCA Program starts October 27th.
LOWEST TUITION FEES
Practical Nursing Program offered only in the morning. Access to PN program offered only in the evening.
Tuition after discount for Practical Nursing is $26,000.
Access to PN$17,500, NUC $9,050 and HCA $6,500.
New West 604-540-2421 Surrey 604-589-2422, info@chcabc.com
WEEKLY OPEN HOUSE EVERY WEDNESDAY 4-6PM. • www.chcabc.com

Slain man's ex-wife denies fake identity

'It's total fantasy.' Toronto woman says man found dead in France would not masquerade as '70s rocker from band called Chilliwack

Gisele Gauthier was skimming through her email inbox and fielding calls from friends Friday when she got the news that has repeatedly brought her to tears.

Her ex-husband, a former Toronto musician and vintage clothing dealer by the name of Glenn "George" Miller, was found dead following a shooting at his French estate that has since spawned an international murder mystery involving a Vancouver band popular in the 1970s.

Gauthier was stunned. She and 65-year-old Miller had separated 18 years ago and though he had moved to France, she says the pair shared hour-long phone conversations two or three times a month to discuss Miller's love of music, farming and life abroad.

She says she was startled and teary-eyed once again when she spotted international media reports alleging that her ex-husband had been impersonating a deceased bassist from the rock band Chilliwack.

According to Gauthier, the reports suggesting a Chilliwack connection — published by some European papers — are false.

The reports say French police had confirmed the Chilliwack connection through conversations with Canadian authorities.

The RCMP told Torstar News Service they would not speak to another country's investigation and could not confirm or deny whether French authorities had contacted them about the case.

The French prosecutor's office was closed when Torstar News Service made numerous attempts at contacting overseas officials Wednesday to discuss the case.

"It's total fantasy," Gauthier says of the potential ties between her ex-husband and Chilliwack.

"I don't think he would even know who Chilliwack was. I only vaguely remember them."

Instead, she says Miller was a "happy, fun-loving guy" who went by the name George to avoid confusion with the late big-band musician of the same name.

When asked if it was possible that Miller was impersonating someone else without his family knowing, Gauthier said, "I would lay my life on the line to say absolutely not."

She says "the real mystery" is that Miller was shot, but no bullets or fragments have been found.

TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

The farmhouse in Northern France where a Toronto man was shot dead last week. The killing has spawned an international murder mystery involving a Vancouver band popular in the 1970s. YOUTUBE

LEAF

Government failing disabled mothers, new report says

Too many children are being taken away from families because government fails to meets its legal obligations to provide services and supports to mothers with disabilities, according to a new report.

West Coast LEAF released the report Wednesday, saying an under funding of social service agencies is responsible for the problem.

The report cites a 2012 example from Ontario, where a social worker ruled a couple with cerebral palsy were unfit to take care of a healthy baby and tried to have the child removed from the home.

West Coast LEAF argues many disabled parents suffer from discriminatory social workers and judges, who cannot make individualized assessments or consider providing services that would support parents.

METRO

Dispute. You can have Site C or your LNG but not both, First Nation tells B.C.

With a decision imminent on the Site C hydroelectric project in northeastern British Columbia, area First Nations have delivered a message to the provincial government: You can have the dam or you can have liquefied natural gas but you will not get both.

The $8-billion dam would lie in the heart of B.C.'s nascent LNG industry.

Chief Roland Willson of the West Moberly First Nation said his community has title to the Peace River valley under a century-old treaty, and a recent decision from the Supreme Court of Canada has bolstered their say in any industrial development on that land.

The band is not opposed to resource development, Willson said, but it has issued an ultimatum.

"I've said you can't have both," Willson said in an interview. "If you want to push Site C, we're not going to be in favour of any LNG projects, any of the pipeline projects up there. We don't want to be there but if that's the case, we don't have any other choice."

Willson was in Ottawa on Wednesday to deliver that message to the federal government. However, he and Chief Liz Logan of the Fort Nelson First Nation, Grand Chief Stewart Phillip of the Union of B.C. Indian Chiefs and Ghislaini Picard of the Assembly of First Nations did not meet with any federal government officials.

"We've come to Ottawa to try and talk to the decision-makers here and we've not been able to get in front of anybody," Willson told reporters.

The dam would be the third on the Peace River in B.C., flooding 5,550 hectares of land over an 83-kilometre stretch of valley. It would generate an estimated 1,100 megawatts of capacity, or enough to power the equivalent of 450,000 homes a year.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Quoted

"I've said you can't have both."

Chief Roland Willson of the West Moberly First Nation

Turn buy into fly, faster.
The new TD® Aeroplan® *Visa Infinite*® Card.
aeroplan

td.com/aeroplan
TD Banking can be this comfortable.

All trade-marks are property of their respective owners. © The Air Canada maple leaf logo and Air Canada are registered trade-marks of Air Canada, used under license. © The Aeroplan logo and Aeroplan are registered trade-marks of Aimia Canada Inc. © The TD logo and other trade-marks are the property of The Toronto-Dominion Bank.

Trial lawyer awarded $753K for disabling pain

A veteran West Vancouver trial lawyer has been awarded $753,000 for his injuries suffered in two car accidents that have left him with disabling chronic pain

Liability was admitted by the other drivers so the only issue at trial was the amount of damages to be paid to Robert Debou, who first became a lawyer in 1971 and was a Vancouver prosecutor for many years.

Debou, 68, has been in private practice for 38 years and has been a sole practitioner since 1995, making a net income of about $200,000 a year.

The court heard testimony from Debou that he could have made more money but he did a lot of pro bono legal work and unintended legal aid — he described himself as "a better lawyer than a businessman."

The biggest chunk of the court award — $375,000 — was to compensate Debou for loss of future income.

The court was told that Lebou's episodes of disabling pain from the accidents affected his ability to carry heavy boxes of legal documents to court, resulting in him turning down cases for trial.

Quoted

"I am satisfied on the evidence that while the plaintiff is likely to continue working, there is no doubt in my mind that he will not be able to sustain anywhere near the volume of work that he did before the accidents."

B.C. Supreme Court Justice Bruce Cohen

Colleagues, friends and family also testified that since the final accident, Debou suffered bouts of pain and sometimes lost focus, patience and stamina, and was sometimes cranky with clients.

The first accident occurred on Aug. 23, 2009, while riding as a passenger in a vehicle driven by his wife, going westbound on Highway 10 near Chilliwack when it was struck from the rear by a motorhome pulling a heavy trailer.

He took Advil and muscle relaxants after the accident, attended physiotherapy and a chiropractor, but did not miss any time from his practice.

The more serious accident occurred on Feb. 21, 2010, when Debou was driving his Cadillac eastbound on Dollarton Road in North Vancouver when he was struck by a westbound vehicle that veered across the center line and hit Debou's vehicle's driver side door.

The ambulance and fire responders had a difficult time removing him from his car, having to break open his driver's side door before taking him to hospital. The vehicle was so badly damaged that it was a write-off.

"I am satisfied on the evidence that while the plaintiff is likely to continue working, there is no doubt in my mind that he will not be able to sustain anywhere near the volume of work that he did before the accidents, and there is a strong likelihood that he may have to retire before the age of 75, which I accept as his intended retirement date," B.C. Supreme Court Justice Bruce Cohen said in a written judgment.

The judge awarded total damages of $753,289, including $140,000 in non-pecuniary damages and $175,000 for past wage loss.

NEAL HALL/METRO

Downtown. Quality Inn hotel, slated for demolition, to offer temporary housing

A downtown Quality Inn slated for demolition will be transformed into interim housing for people who are homeless or living in Oppenheimer Park.

The city will lease the building from a developer for $66,725 per month for the next two years to provide 157 units of interim housing at 1335 Howe St., the city announced in a statement Wednesday.

The hotel is closing at the end of October and available as housing in early November, according to the statement. The first month's rent is free and the developer will continue to pay property tax.

The building will be torn down in two to three years for redevelopment, according to the city.

It's not clear who the developer is — a city spokesperson said they did not have that information — but according to real estate blogs the property is slated to become a residential tower.

The city is searching for an operator who has experience with homelessness to run the building. It will also work with Vancouver Coastal Health to provide support to tenants.

Earlier this week, the city announced 70 new shelter spaces at 900 Pacific and Union Gospel Mission. All three actions are part of an effort to deal with a growing tent camp at Oppenheimer Park, where people have been living for more than two months to protest a lack of action on homelessness.

The city's website does not list a rezoning application for the property. EMILY JACKSON/METRO

Fake gold

Two men arrested in local jewelry scam

Vancouver police arrested two men who were allegedly trying to sell fake 18 karat gold jewelry to people on the street.

Police say the men would allegedly approach people on a street to ask them for money to buy gas and food. The men would also offer to sell gold chains and other jewelry, police say. METRO

© Air Canada Vacations is a registered trademark of Air Canada, used under license by Touram Limited Partnership, 1440 St. Catherine W., Suite 600, Montreal, QC.

Alberta

Group warns PM ISIS recruiting Somali youths

The leader of a Somali group has written to the prime minister warning that young people in Alberta are being recruited to become fighters for the radical group the Islamic State of Iraq and al-Sham (ISIS).

In his letter, Mahamad Accord says he has solid sources, including elders, who say youths from the Somali community as young as 16 have signed up to become terrorist soldiers.

In an interview Wednesday, Accord, who is president of the Edmonton-based Canadian Somali Congress Western Canada, said he doesn't have any hard numbers on how many young people have been recruited. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Algeria

Extremists behead French hostage

Algerian extremists allied with ISIS have decapitated a French hostage after France carried out airstrikes in Iraq, according to a video that appeared online Wednesday.

French President Francois Hollande condemned the killing of Herve Gourdel and said France would continue its fight against ISIS.

"Herve Gourdel is dead because he is the representative of a people — ours — that defends human dignity against barbarity," Hollande said, speaking along the sidelines of the UN General Assembly meeting in New York.

"My determination is total and this attack only reinforces it. We will continue to fight terrorism everywhere." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MADE FOR COFFEE LOVERS
WHO LIKE IT MELLOW.
Enjoy Starbucks Blonde® Roast at home.
You'll find our mildest, lightest roast at your grocery store.
STARBUCKS
BLONDE ROAST
Veranda Blend® • Bright Sky Blend™ • Starbucks Willow Blend®
VERANDA
WILLOW
Available where you buy groceries
© 2014 Starbucks Coffee Company. All rights reserved.

U.S. asks Canada for more help in Middle East

New possible military engagement. Harper declines to offer details

Prime Minister Stephen Harper takes part in a question-and-answer session in New York on Wednesday. SEAN KILPATRICK/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Prime Minister Stephen Harper says Canada will soon be weighing the possibility of an extended military role in the Middle East.

Harper said he has just recently received a request from the U.S. government for further Canadian involvement in the fight against Islamist rebels.

"We have to have some additional debate within our government," he said Wednesday during a question-and-answer session in New York before an audience of U.S. business leaders. "The government of Canada will make a decision on that very shortly."

When pressed about the possible new engagement, Harper declined to offer details because the U.S. government "didn't make the letter public."

But he did say the world can't allow terrorists to gain safe havens like the one that has developed in eastern Syria and western Iraq.

Wednesday's conversation with the Wall Street Journal's editor-in-chief also delved into some of the sociological aspects of the fight against the al-Qaida splinter group known as the Islamic State of Iraq and al-Sham (ISIS). Some of the terrorists who carry Western passports can hardly be called Muslims; some of them apparently don't even attend mosque, Harper said.

He also suggested that Middle Eastern hostility to the West is nothing new. Harper said there's been a constituency for that since the Crusades.

At that point the editor-in-chief, Gerard Baker, interjected: "Of course they had a point, during the Crusades."

That was just one snippet of a free-flowing conversation in New York's financial district, where the high-profile newspaperman pressed Harper on a number of fronts.

Baker mentioned Canada's relatively strong economic performance, but he pushed Harper on the relative weakness of some Canadian energy sectors beyond energy, and whether Canada's recent economic performance hadn't softened a bit. THE CANADIAN PRESS

metro AR Burak Yilmaz, a Turkish police officer, 26, carries a Kurdish refugee boy as thousands of Syrian refugees enter Turkey at Yumurtalik crossing gate near Suruc on Tuesday. Scan the photo with your Metro News app to see a photo gallery of refugees entering Turkey in search of safety.
BURHAN OZBILICI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

bchonda.com

HONDA

The Honda 2014 MODEL CLEAROUT

Savings you'll flip over

UP TO $5,000*

CASH PURCHASE INCENTIVE ON SELECT 2014 MODELS

OR 0.99% ON EVERY NEW 2014 HONDA. LEASE# OR FINANCE†

2014 CR-V

UP TO $3,000*

CASH PURCHASE INCENTIVE ON EVERY 2014 MODEL

Starting from MSRP $27,685** includes freight and PDI

Model: CR-V Touring RM4H9EKNS

2014 CIVIC

$2,000*

CASH PURCHASE INCENTIVE ON SELECT 2014 MODELS

Starting from MSRP $19,990** includes freight and PDI

Model: Civic Si FB6E5EKV

2014 ACCORD

UP TO $3,000*

CASH PURCHASE INCENTIVE ON SELECT 2014 MODELS

Starting from MSRP $25,685** includes freight and PDI

Model: Accord Touring CR3F9EKN

2014 PILOT

$5,000*

CASH PURCHASE INCENTIVE ON EVERY 2014 MODEL

Starting from MSRP $36,685** includes freight and PDI

Model: Pilot Touring YF4H9EKN

Save BIG on our 2014s before they're gone for good.

HONDA

*$2,000/Up to $3,000/$5,000 Honda cash purchase incentive is available select 2014 Civic models (2D LX, 2D EX, 2D EX-L NAVI, 2D SI, 4D LX, 4D EX, 4D EX-L, 4D EX-L Navi, 4D LX, 4D Sport, 4D EX-L and 4D Touring) and every 2014 Pilot model. Honda cash purchase incentive will be deducted from the negotiated price after taxes and cannot be combined with special lease or finance offers. #Limited time lease offer based on select new 2014 Honda models through Honda Canada Finance Inc. O.A.C. Lease example based on a new 2014 Civic 4D DX 5MT model FB2E2EEX and a 48 month lease term available only through Honda Canada Finance Inc. O.A.C.: 0.99% lease APR for 48 months O.A.C. Bi-weekly payment, including freight and PDI, is $99.33. Down payment of $0.00, first bi-weekly payment, environmental fees and $0 security deposit due at lease inception. Total lease obligation is $10,330.32. Taxes, license, insurance and registration are extra. 96,000 kilometre allowance; charge of $0.12/km for excess kilometres. Limited time 0.99% finance offer based on select new 2014 Honda models only through Honda Canada Finance Inc. O.A.C. Finance example based on a new 2014 Civic 4D DX 5MT model FB2E2EEX and 48 month finance term available only through Honda Canada Finance Inc. O.A.C.: $17.185 at 0.99% per annum equals $410.48 monthly for 48 months. Freight and PDI of $1,495 included. Cost of borrowing is $393.01, for a total obligation of $19,702.08. Down payment of $0.00. First monthly payment, environmental fees and $0 security deposit due at finance inception. Taxes are extra. Finance on approved credit for qualified customers only. "MSRP is $19,990 / $27,685 / $25,685 / $36,685 based on a new 2014 Civic 4D DX 5MT FB2E4EEX (CR-V LX 2WD RM3H3EES, Accord 4D LX-S 6MT CR2E3EE / Pilot LX 2WD YF3H2EE including $1,495 / $1,695 / $1,695 freight and PDI. "" Prices and/or payments shown do not include PPSA lien registration and lien registering agent's fees, which are due at time of delivery. Dealer may sell for less. Dealer trade may be required. For all offers/lenses (air conditioning tax of $100 and tire/battery tax of $25), license, insurance, applicable taxes and registration are extra. Offers valid from September 3rd through September 30th, 2014 at participating Honda retailers. Offers valid only for British Columbia residents at BC Honda Dealers locations. Offers subject to change or cancellation without notice. Terms and conditions apply. Visit www.bchonda.com or see your BC Honda retailer for full details.

Evidence inadmissible, G20 cop acquitted

A police officer convicted of one assault related to the violence-marred G20 summit in Toronto four years ago was acquitted Wednesday in a second case because the only evidence against him was ruled inadmissible.

As a result, the prosecution presented no evidence against Const. Babak Andalib-Goortani, who was charged with using a weapon to assault a blogger. The constable still faces internal misconduct hearings for using excessive force against the protester.

The photograph on which the case depended showed a uniformed officer about to strike Wyndham Bettencourt-McCarthy at a protest outside the Ontario legislature during the weekend summit in June 2010.

A police colleague was set to testify that Andalib-Goortani was the officer seen in the image, which became the subject of extensive pre-trial hearings in May.

"The case against him depended on an image, a photograph taken from the Internet," defence lawyer Harry Black said in an interview.

"The expert evidence established that whatever photograph it came from had been altered and the nature of the alterations could not be known."

Given the uncertain provenance of the image, a judge last month ruled it inadmissible, meaning the second officer could not use it to identify Andalib-Goortani as Bettencourt-McCarthy's assailant.

"He would be looking at a document that had been altered," Black said. "Without the photograph, the Crown had no case." THE CANADIAN PRESS

Make money
on your
own terms.
Earn up to
3.05%
on a 3-year escalating term deposit*
Redeem without penalty at the end of each year. Or let your savings grow at a higher rate.
Either way, your wealth is fully protected with a 100% principal and interest guarantee.
Visit vancity.com/EscalatingTerm to learn more, or your local community branch
for expert advice on term deposits and other investment products.
Credit Union
* Deposits are 100% insured by Credit Union Deposit Insurance Corporation (CUDIC) of British Columbia. Certain conditions apply to RRSP, TFSA, RRIF and RESP products. Registered term deposits accrue compound interest calculated annually at the relevant annual rate. Non-registered deposits accrue simple interest on the original principal at the relevant annual rate. Interest rate is as of August 27, 2014 and may change without notice. $500 minimum. Make Good Money (TM) is a trademark of Vancouver City Savings Credit Union. ®HANDS & GLOBE Design is a registered certification mark owned by World Council of Credit Unions, used under license.
Vancity
Make Good Money™

More court documents relating to Toronto Mayor Rob Ford, seen here in April, were released Wednesday and are anchored by two apparent interviews Toronto police had with the mayor's sister, Kathy Ford. GEOFF ROBINS/AFP/GETTY IMAGES FILE

Police files detail night of 2nd video

Project Brazen 2. New police documents recount the night the alleged second crack video was shot, suspect's phone sought

Newly released documents show Rob Ford's sister told police the Toronto mayor was smoking crack cocaine with her in late April in the company of a drug dealer and a friend of Ford's who is facing criminal charges.

The documents, filed with a court by police to obtain a search warrant, say Kathy Ford was interviewed by investigators after reports surfaced last May of a second video allegedly showing the mayor smoking crack.

Police say Kathy Ford told them her brother arrived at her house "intoxicated," but not "high," and that he was drinking and play-fighting with Alexander Lisi, who was never hurt. Ford also told police a man named Michael "Jugga" James sold drugs to her and her brother.

Released Wednesday by a judge, the documents indicate that police believe the second video was recorded April 26 by James, leading police to request a search warrant for three cellphones belonging to James, believing they will find video and audio that may provide evidence of drug possession by Ford and both drug trafficking and drug possession by James.

The allegations stem from Project Brazen 2, a police investigation surrounding the Toronto mayor, and have not been proven in court.

Rob Ford — who has repeatedly said he's not a drug addict — entered rehab for treatment of substance-abuse problems after the Globe and Mail reported it had seen the second video showing him appearing to smoke crack cocaine in the basement of his sister's home in late April.

American online site Gawker said a dealer had tried to sell three videos taken in the basement for six figures. Gawker, which first broke word of a video purportedly showing Ford smoking crack cocaine last year, obtained frame grabs showing the mayor holding a copper pipe.

The Globe said it paid $10,000 for similar photos.

Last year, the mayor admitted to using crack cocaine while in a "drunken stupor." THE CANADIAN PRESS

CLINIQUE Gift – Fall Favourites

FREE: Receive a 7-piece gift, featuring new Chubby Stick Baby Tint, plus bestselling skin care and makeup, with any CLINIQUE purchase of $31 or more. An $85 value.* Ends October 4, 2014. Only here.

Choose your shades

MAY WE SUGGEST:

New CLINIQUE Sonic System Purifying Cleansing Brush, **$95**

Created by dermatologists, this sonic cleansing brush helps to gently lift makeup, dirt and oil more effectively than handwashing.

GIFT INCLUDES:

- Moisture Surge Extended Thirst Relief cream-gel, 15 mL
- Dramatically Different Moisturizing Lotion+, 30 mL
- Rinse-Off Eye Makeup Solvent, 60 mL
- High Impact Mascara in black
- Choose your shades: Colour Compact and Chubby Stick Baby Tint Moisturizing Lip Colour Balm
- Cosmetics bag

Support The Breast Cancer Research Foundation

Pick up our exclusive Breast Cancer Research Foundation umbrella for only $16 with any purchase and $5 from each umbrella sold will be donated to BCRF. For more information about BCRF, visit bcrfcure.org.
In store and at thebay.com. While quantities last.

The Breast Cancer Research Foundation.

HUDSON'S BAY

SHOP THEBAY.COM

***Before taxes.** One gift per customer, while supplies last. Values are based on our per mL and/or g price for regular size products.

Get app-y.
Win with our app contest!

Download our mobile app, book your flight and be entered to win the value of that flight in WestJet dollars.*

It's that easy. Easy to plan, book and track flights. And with **daily winners** every day until October 10, 2014, it's easy to win, too. Sounds like time to get app-y.

Let's get started.
Learn more at westjet.com/mobile

Download on the App Store

ANDROID APP ON Google play

WESTJET

*WestJet dollars are awarded to the individual who makes the booking and are valid for one year from date of issue. No purchase necessary. For full rules and regulations visit westjet.com/mobile and click on Rules and Regulations.

Living double lives: When Holly met Holly

'Email doppelgangers.' Two women — one Canadian and one American — share a name and, as it turns out, much more

American Holly Painter, left, and Canadian Holly Painter are "email doppelgangers." MIKE DONACHIE/METRO IN LONDON, ONT.

MIKE DONACHIE
Metro in London, Ont.

They have the same name. They're the same age. They're both gay. They have the same creative passion. They're both poets, and there's something profound in their story.

Meet Holly Painter, 29, and, er, Holly Painter, 29, the unconnected women who have spookily similar lives.

They call themselves "email doppelgangers" because they get each other's messages. They have similar website addresses. People confuse them, even in face-to-face interactions, and it got so weird that eventually the pair met to have a laugh about it.

The two women are from opposite sides of the U.S.-Canada border, but, meeting Wednesday, they chatted like old friends and even finished each other's sentences.

Here's how it all started.

"One of my friends said he really loved my poem on female genital mutilation," said the American Painter, who's from Detroit but lives in Singapore. "Um, what? That's not the sort of thing you forget writing about. So I went and looked around and I found Holly."

The pair met for the first time over breakfast in London, Ont., where the Canadian Painter lives. Her counterpart was passing through on a research trip for a book she's writing.

During their chat, the American Painter tells of an encounter with someone who complimented her on a stage performance she never gave. It turned out to have been the Canadian Painter. That's even weirder because, whatever the similarities, the women don't look alike.

But, even as they talk, they find more things they share. Each volunteers with kids. Each has a younger brother. Each has a day job in publishing. They talk over one another's laughter as the matches are made.

"I guess it's a little surreal," says the Canadian Painter. "I suppose it's not totally surprising that someone has the same name …"

"… but all the other similarities as well, it's a bit bizarre," her doppelganger finishes.

They don't even notice how closely meshed their speech patterns are, until it's pointed out.

"What struck me," continues the Canadian Painter, "is the fact that technology is this connecting tool.

"We're poets as well, so poetry for me is a way to connect to other people. Generally, I would do that in person, but we were able to find each other online."

And the two friends have made a decision. There's no alternative: They have to make poetry together.

"I was thinking there must be other people out there who are email doppelgangers," the Canadian Painter explains. "I was thinking, there must be something else I can do to get a poetry project in the works."

At least we know their names will rhyme. It doesn't get quainter than two Holly Painters.

Quoted

"What struck me is the fact that technology is this connecting tool." The Canadian Holly Painter

Halifax sex-assault case

Man charged with breaching publication ban

Charges have been laid in connection with a Facebook post that allegedly breached a publication ban in a recent Halifax sex-assault case.

Police said Wednesday that a 62-year-old Dartmouth, N.S., man was served with a notice to appear in court in connection with a post that included the name of the young woman that the accused, Halifax lawyer Lyle Howe, has been convicted of assaulting.

"There are orders issued by the court for protection of the victims, of their name and identity," said Const. Pierre Bourdages. "Unfortunately an individual decided that they would post the information even though there was a publication ban."

The post in question appeared in a support group for Howe shortly after he was sentenced in late July to three years in prison for sexual assault.

"It was my hope that … through our efforts as a support group, we would prove Lyle's innocence," reads the post, which was reproduced in screenshots on Reddit and Twitter — with the complainant's name redacted. "That his one-nite fling with (the complainant) was consensual … and that Lyle would be vindicated."

Bourdages said police launched an investigation after several complaints.

RUTH DAVENPORT/METRO IN HALIFAX

Get there faster with 20,000 Aventura® Points.[1]

That's enough points for a short haul flight worth up to $400.[2]

Get where you want to go faster by using your Aventura Points for any airline, every seat, with no blackout periods.

CIBC

The CIBC Aventura® Travel Rewards Program.
So good even penguins can fly™.

Visit us at cibc.com/penguinscanfly or call 1 855 813-9803.

[1]Offer applies only to newly approved eligible Aventura credit card accounts opened by December 31, 2014; transfers from an existing CIBC credit card are excluded. Bonus points will be awarded to the primary cardholder after making qualifying purchases. Offer may be withdrawn or changed without notice at any time. Conditions apply; for details visit cibc.com/penguinscanfly. [2]For further details, see the Aventura Airlines Rewards Chart at cibcrewards.com. Visa* and Visa Infinite* are trademarks of Visa Int./CIBC lic. user. The Contactless Indicator is a trademark of EMV Co. LLC. All other trademarks are owned by CIBC or related entities.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
CONDUCTORS PORT COQUITLAM
REQUISITION # 34526

Tired of the same old thing?

At Canadian Pacific you can be part of something historic. You have a chance to make a difference, to see Canada, and build a future.

Canadian Pacific is one of Canada's most iconic companies. We move the goods that keep the world turning, and we're on our way to doing it better than anyone else. To get there, CP is looking for some adaptable, hard-working, safety-conscious, and results-driven people to join our force of conductors.

You don't need:
Railroading experience
Connections

You do need:
Great Attitude
Willingness to learn
To work in and around Port Coquitlam

Competition closes on September 30, 2014

For additional information on Canadian Pacific and this career opportunity, visit us online at www.cpr.ca.

Only those candidates contacted will be considered. All communication will be directed to the email address you use on your online application form.

The journey has begun but is far from over.

Will we show true patriot love for BlackBerry?

A journalist compares the new BlackBerry Passport device, right, to an existing Android device at the Passport's launch in Toronto on Wednesday. Whether you love BlackBerry or hate it, the Canadian smartphone maker is banking on its new Passport device to help reshape perception of the company in a highly competitive market. "We are determined to win back the Canadian home crowd," chief executive John Chen told the audience at the Toronto launch event on Wednesday. "If you guys don't support us, then you've got some problems," he joked. CHRIS YOUNG/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Want to get groceries from a drive-thru?

It's already big in France. Loblaw will test a program that lets customers buy items online, then have them loaded into their cars outside grocery stores

Loblaw Companies Ltd. is preparing to pilot a grocery click-and-collect program, which will allow shoppers to order online and pick up their completed order at stores.

A Loblaws store in Richmond Hill, Ont., has been set up with a bright orange click-and-collect area that includes assigned parking. Customers will be able to have the groceries they chose and paid for online loaded into their vehicles.

Loblaw announced earlier this year that it would pilot a click-and-collect program, but provided few details. A company spokesperson declined to elaborate on Tuesday, although he did confirm that Richmond Hill will be the first location to offer the new service.

"The service is not yet available to the public, but we're excited by the prospect of offering busy customers another option to complete their shopping, saving considerable time in the process," said Loblaw spokesperson Kevin Groh.

While click-and-collect is not well-known in Canada, the service is widely used in Europe and at some stores in the U.S., to service time-starved customers who don't have time to shop themselves.

In France, one in five shoppers report having used click-and-collect services from grocery chains, according to Canadian Grocer editor Rob Gerlsbeck. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Let it go, let it go ...

Will Mattel let it go that Hasbro will make Frozen dolls?

The toy wars just got a bit colder thanks to Disney's Frozen, with Hasbro wrestling the rights for dolls from the hit movie away from rival Mattel.

Hasbro Inc. announced that its new deal with Disney Consumer Products will give it global rights (with the exception of Japan) to develop dolls based on Frozen.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

U.S. Treasury Dept.

Approved raises for GM executives 'excessive': Report

The U.S. Treasury Department continued to approve "excessive" pay raises for top executives at General Motors and its former consumer finance arm, both of which received taxpayer-funded bailouts during the financial crisis, a new government report says.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Market Minute

DOLLAR 90.44¢ (+0.10¢)

TSX 15,120.54 (-5.13)

OIL $92.80 US (+$1.24)

GOLD $1,219.50 US (-$2.50)

Natural gas: $3.90 US (no change)
Dow Jones: 17,210.06 (+154.19)

ENTER AND YOU COULD

WIN FREE FUEL*

FOR BACK TO SCHOOL

ENTER ONLINE
FOR THE GRAND PRIZE
Free Fuel for a Year!

&

VISIT US IN-BRANCH
FOR LOTS OF WEEKLY PRIZES
Win a $75 Fuel Card!

CASHSTORE.CA/FREEF

The Cash Store

You're pre-approved for

UP TO $1500**

*NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. Transaction not required to participate in the Contest. Contest ends 9/30/14. Complete contest rules available at any branch of The Cash Store or visit www.cashstore.ca.

**Some restrictions apply including, but not limited to, loan amount restrictions based on the borrower's net pay. BC LICENCE #: 50041 ALBERTA LICENCE #: 326987

GAME ON! THE FIVE STORYLINES OF '14-'15

HE SAYS
John Mazerolle
metronews.ca

The NHL is back after its traditional 12-day hiatus, and this season promises 353 days of excitement!

Will the Toronto Maple Leafs be terrible, or worse than that? Can the NHL's near-destitute players get by after a decade under the salary cap? And which lucky ticket holder will be the "100th fan" in Florida Panthers' history? With so much going on it seems like there's dozens of storylines in the 2014-15 season. But, no, there are five.

1. NHL to test rule banning players from crushing opponents' skulls: As it's picked up speed, hockey's had an alarming tendency to bend players' craniums like so many iPhone 6s. But this year new rules will ... Oh, nope, sorry, I've just learned the rules won't change because violence is "part of the game." What they've banned instead is the penalty-shot spin-o-rama, because that was fun, thereby contravening the terms of the collective bargaining agreement.

2. Gary Bettman sets goal to learn offside rule: NHL commissioner Bettman has had his successes, yet his small-town charisma has never caught on with fans. Bettman says he's always loved the game, though, which is why this year his goal is to learn the rules. "The NHL is so fast, which is why I've never been able to figure out how the offside thingy goes," he said. Bettman also said he hopes to stay to the very end of a game this year, provided traffic isn't bad.

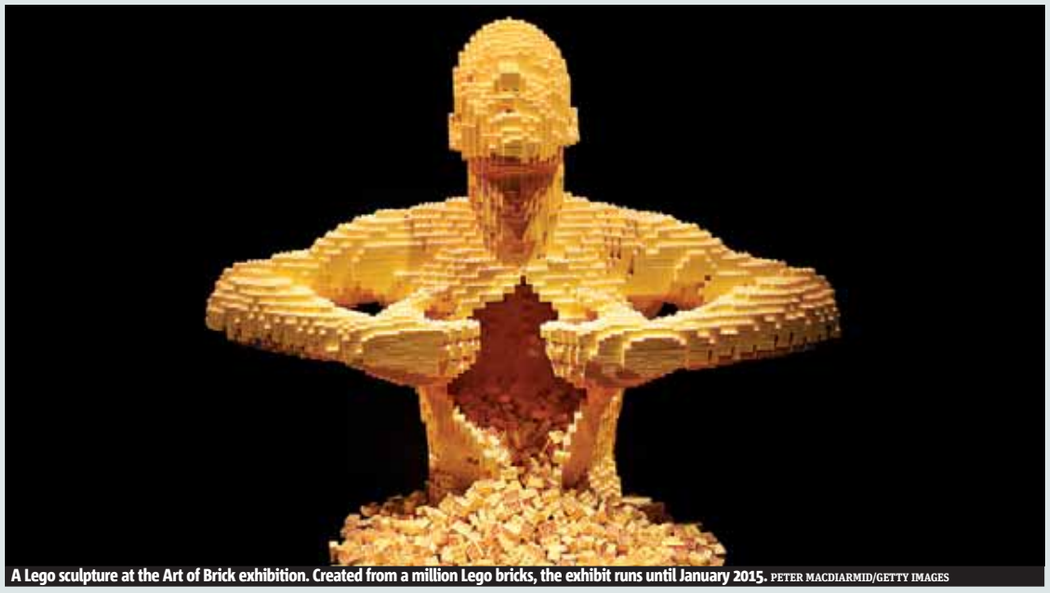
3. Analytics debate to be settled in big game between jocks and nerds: Everybody's got an opinion about "fancy stats," the popular analytics that measure things like shot attempts. Anti-fancies say the only important stat is the score, while pro-fancies look at the ice and see The Matrix, or the motorbike scene from TRON. Regardless, it will all be settled on the big, frozen lake near the tracks when The Nerds play The Jocks to settle this once and for all. Could it be the one thing they forgot to measure was their love for the game?

4. Stanley Cup to stay in the U.S. Given the expense of ferrying the Stanley Cup between Canada's Hockey Hall of Fame and whichever American team has won it this season, the league's GMs agreed this summer that the cup will stay in America "where it belongs" until Canada can actually win the thing.

5. Given the major violence, steroid and racism scandals that have plagued the other major North American sports, **Gary Bettman has promised that all the NHL's scandals will remain solidly on the playing surface.** "Whether it's brutal violence, homophobic remarks or flagrant cheating, I can assure you that the NHL will keep these tactics on the ice where they belong," he said. Bettman added that, despite the scandals, everybody is involved in sports for the same reason: to make as much money as humanly possible.

Game on!

If only *you'd* practised at your Lego a bit more ...



A Lego sculpture at the Art of Brick exhibition. Created from a million Lego bricks, the exhibit runs until January 2015. PETER MACDIARMID/GETTY IMAGES

The Art of the Brick exhibit created using a million blocks

The Art of the Brick exhibition has travelled the world showcasing artist Nathan Sawaya's Lego creations. On Friday it opens to the public in London, England.

There are more than 80 works in the exhibition that span Sawaya's entire career as a full-time artist working in Lego, which he embarked upon following a previous career as a lawyer.

Sawaya has now been creating Lego artworks for seven years, although Lego has been a passion for him since the age of five.

His first large build was a sculpture of a dog he created when he was 10 after his parents refused to buy him a pet pooch.

Sections of the exhibition include Sawaya's oversized 3D portraits of popular and recognizable artworks including Hokusai's The Great Wave off Kanagawa and Edvard Munch's The Scream. Two sections entitled The Human Condition and Human Expressions contain more original artwork featuring sculptures involving the human form. WIRED.CO.UK

Homage

To celebrate its London arrival, the exhibition has a section dedicated to English culture.

- Among the British artifacts on show are a red telephone box, a "Keep calm and build on" poster and two bands that showcase the best of British music in the past and today, in the form of The Beatles and — ahem — One Direction.

MetroTube

metro AR

More interspecies love

ANDREW FIFIELD
andrew.fifield@metronews.ca

GETTY IMAGES FILE

The video for Knock Knock is likely going to be your first experience with Ukrainian band Blondes Shoot Brunettes, but it'll be a memorable one. The song itself is standard coffee shop balladry, so, you know, *shrug*. But the video, which syncs the screens of more than a dozen cellphones, tablets and laptops to tell an interspecies love story, is a delight. (Brunettes Shoot Blondes/YouTube)

Twitter

@metropicks asked: A complete car body printed out of thermoplastic and carbon fibre was recently shown off at a trade show in Chicago. If you could make anything at all using a 3D printer, what would it be?

@Canucklehead_ca: Anyone who doesn't answer 'another 3D printer' hasn't actually thought this through & is quite frankly wasting everybody's time.

Join the conversation @metropicks

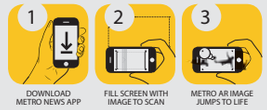
metro AR

SEE THE NEWS COME ALIVE

In this issue, you can find AR enhancements on page 8 in News, page 19 in Scene, and pages 21 and 22 in Life.

To see these pages spring to life, download or update the Metro News app and follow these three easy steps:

1. Open the Metro News app on your smartphone or tablet device. Click the AR icon in the top right corner.
2. Hold your device over any image that has the AR logo near it. Wait for the green scan bar to read the image!
3. Voilà! You should see the AR in action.



metro

Star Media Group President John Cruickshank • **Vice-President & Group Publisher, Metro Western Canada** Steve Shrout • **Editor-in-Chief** Charlotte Empey • **Deputy Editor** Fernando Carneiro • **National Deputy Editor, Digital** Quin Parker • **Managing Editor, Vancouver** Jeff Hodson • **Managing Editor, News & Business** Amber Shortt • **Managing Editor, Life & Entertainment** Dean Lisk • **Sales Manager** Chris Mackie • **Distribution Manager** George Acimovic • **Vice President, Content & Sales Solutions** Tracy Day • **Vice-President, Sales** Mark Finney • **Vice-President, Finance** Phil Jameson • **METRO VANCOUVER** 375 Water Street - Suite 405 Vancouver, BC V6B 5C6 • **Telephone:** 604-602-1002 • **Fax:** 604-648-3222 • **Advertising:** 604-602-1002 • adinfovancouver@metronews.ca • **Distribution:** vancouver_distribution@metronews.ca • **News tips:** vancouver@metronews.ca • **Letters to the Editor:** vancouverletters@metronews.ca

Travel through place and time with Koerner Quartet

Journey of discovery.
String ensemble opens its season with program inspired by world travel

BACKSTAGE PASS
Graeme McRanor
vancouver@metronews.ca

Winter is coming. This, for most Canadians, is terrible news. Thankfully, we here in New Xanadu (Canadu?) reside on comparatively balmy shores.

Yet we must resist the temptation to let our winter-boots-free superiority complex dampen our compatriots' collective spirits. After all, nobody likes a braggart. Particularly those clinging to lampposts in nostril-stiffening gusts of wind chill. Also, rain.

The good news for the soggy set (besides not becoming hypothermic during our morning paddle-board yoga session) is that there are a ton of awesome arts and entertainment events happening around town. And that should keep us occupied until the sun reappears in mid-2015.

For example, acclaimed local string ensemble Koerner Quartet launches its inaugural public season this weekend with a program called From Spillville to St. Petersburg.

"We couldn't be happier to launch our first public season with this incredible program of music," says cellist and founding member of the group, Joseph Elworthy. "After venturing to Hong Kong for a recent musical residency, the quartet has had world travel in our collective minds. This focus on journeying and the discovery of other cultures served as stimulus for our inaugural program, which transports listeners, with each work, to a completely different time and place."

First, of course, you'll have to travel to the Koerner Recital Hall on Sunday for 2 p.m. It's at the Vancouver Academy of Music, 1270 Chestnut St. Tickets are $18, or $15 for students/seniors. Go to koernerquartet.com.

Local string ensemble Koerner Quartet begin their inaugural public season Sunday at the Vancouver Academy of Music. CONTRIBUTED

Also happening

Beyond words:

- On Monday, Inuit throat singer Tanya Tagaq won the 2014 Polaris Music Prize for her album, Animism.
- You'll be able to see her perform in collaboration with environmental activist Severn Cullis-Suzuki Oct. 16 and 17 at the Chan Centre for the Performing Arts. I'll have more on this in the coming weeks.
- Tickets start at $20. More information at ChanCentre.com.

Theatres are a go:

- It's all happening. The Vancouver International Film Festival starts today, complete with dramas, comedies, documentaries, industry conferences, parties and more.
- Go to viff.org for more information.

FRIGHT NIGHTS AT playland
OPEN SELECT DATES FROM
OCT 10 - NOV 1
OPENING WEEKEND SPECIAL – OCT 10-12
$22 ONLINE
($25 AT THE GATE)
ADMISSION INCLUDES UNLIMITED ACCESS TO
7 HAUNTED HOUSES
13 RIDES
THE MONSTERS OF SCHLOCK
GRUESOME COMEDY ACT
KINSHIRA FIRE PERFORMANCE
FEATURING A BRAND NEW & EXTRA-LARGE HAUNTED HOUSE, KEEPERS DOLL FACTORY
SAVE ON FRIGHTPASSES AT:
FRIGHTNIGHTS.CA
PNE_PLAYLAND
PNECLIPS
Monsters of Schlock and Kinshira will not be performing Oct 10-12

Bryan Cranston. Breaking Bad star tapped for film about China's Great Wall

Deadline reports that Bryan Cranston is in early negotiations to co-star in The Great Wall, which is to be helmed by Chinese filmmaker Zhang Yimou.

According to the entertainment news site, the former Breaking Bad star could share the billing with Matt Damon, who is also reportedly in talks to join the film.

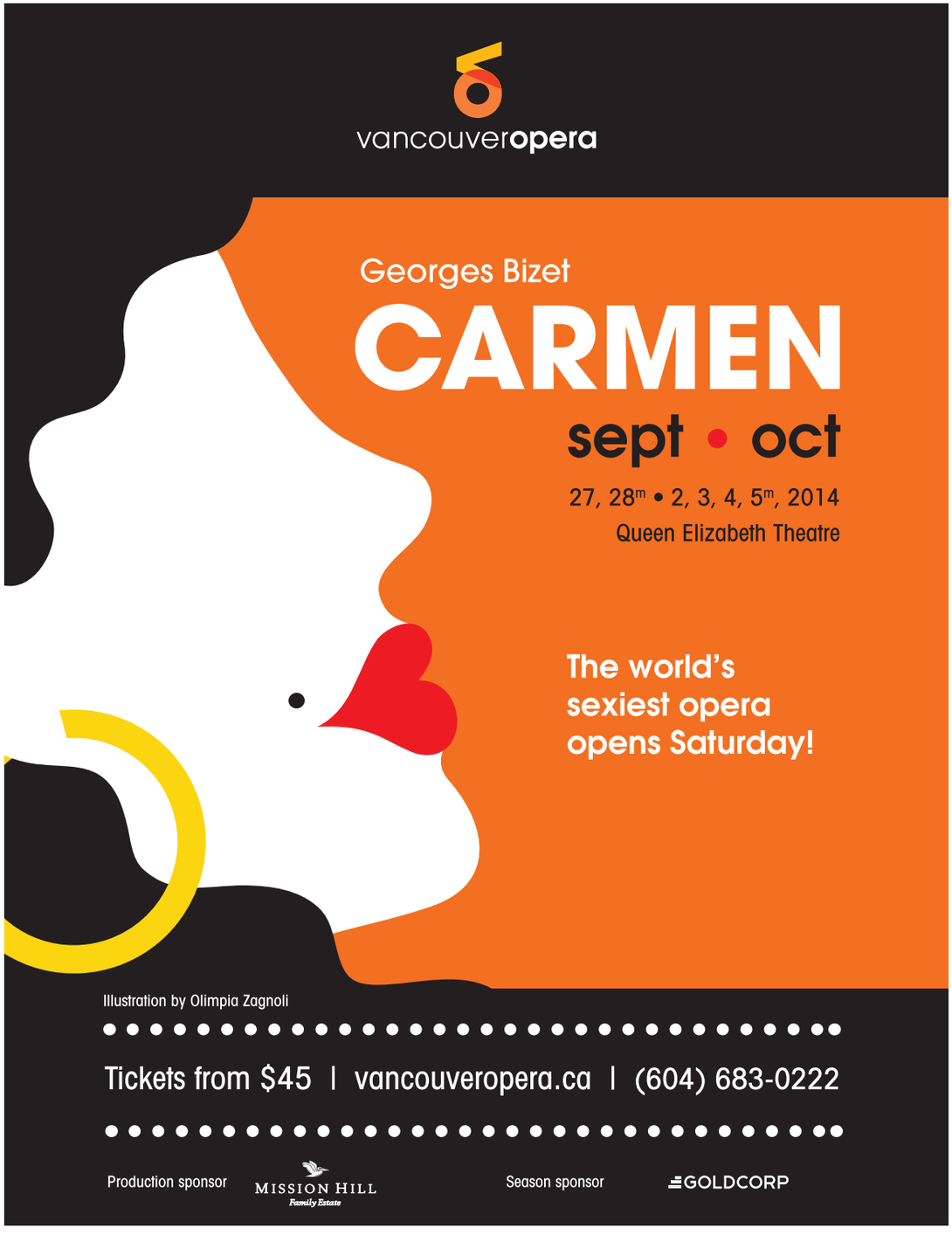
The feature, which has been aiming to get off the ground at Legendary Pictures for years, will explore the origins of the famous Chinese landmark. AFP

Hollywood

Second baby Bell doesn't stress actress

Kristen Bell GETTY IMAGES

Kristen Bell says she's much more comfortable during her second pregnancy — not just because she has a better idea of what to expect, but because she's no longer trailed by paparazzi. The actress established the No Kids Policy earlier this year that saw stars unite to withhold interviews from outlets that published photos of celebrity children. "I feel a lot safer because I'm not followed at all now," Bell said. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



When Ben Kingsley gets fired up ...

The Boxtrolls. The man also known as Gandhi isn't much of a pacifist when it comes to bad directors

NED EHRBAR
Metro World News in Hollywood

Here's a fun game: Sir Ben Kingsley has made a lot of films since Gandhi in 1982, but at least one of them was a terrible experience. So take a look at his IMDb page and guess which filmmaking experience was so toxic it prompted him to torch the screenplay. He's not saying which film it was.

"I actually burned the script," Kingsley says while promoting his latest film, the stop-motion animated film Boxtrolls, which we can rule out from being the offending production in question.

"I had a ceremonial burning of the script. The director was such an awful person who was so discourteous to the cast and so amateurish. It was a colossal waste of good energy and time. All actors want to do is please and get it right, and it was so difficult."

One way to avoid any repeats of such an experience? Taking matters into his own hands.

"I've created a production company with my wife. We've got six films on our slate, and one of them is about a naval admiral," Kingsley says.

"I want to play a man in uniform. I've got tremendous respect for that life that they lead. We know so little about it. It's never discussed or talked about, when they come back from battle. I want to examine the choices that have to be made in those terrible times. That's one of the films on our slate."

And it will likely be a far cry from his Boxtrolls character, the devious Archibald Snatcher, who looks and sounds nothing like Kingsley himself. "My physicality on screen — the puppet — is very unlike my own silhouette. The movement and the mannerisms that you see on screen are not human," he says. "I tried to echo that with stretching vowel sounds and my accent and playing with my voice, from a very relaxed starting point. I actually was lying down for most of my recordings."

While Kingsley only had a bit of voiceover work before Boxtrolls, he's got more lined up already, with Jon Favreau's take on The Jungle Book, requiring only Kingsley's voice.

"Mowgli is a real child, and he'll be surrounded by computer-generated animals," Kingsley says of the project, in which he'll play Bagheera the leopard.

"It will be my voice. That's what Jon wants. I offered him all sorts of different things, and even an Indian accent, but he said, 'No, I want your British voice.' This script is probably a lot closer to Kipling than the original Disney one was."

No word yet on whether he'll be doing this job lying down as well, but it's safe to say he won't torch the script.

The Boxtrolls opens this Friday in theatres. CONTRIBUTED

How to find the happy bits in life

Hector and the Search for Happiness. Simon Pegg and Rosamund Pike talk about fame, fortune, and why it doesn't always bring contentment

RICHARD CROUSE
scene@metronews.ca

In the new film Hector and the Search for Happiness, Simon Pegg plays the title character, a psychologist with a tidy, uneventful existence.

He shares his predictable and safe life with Clara (Rosamund Pike), an ad agency writer who creates names for pharmaceuticals. They chug along happily until one day Hector snaps and sets out on an archaeological dig of sorts, to discover what happiness means to people.

"With this film," says Pegg, "people will often flippantly say, 'He lives with Rosamund Pike, he's got a nice house…' which so misses the point. You can have all that stuff. The point is we take the least sympathetic demographic on the face of this earth, the white upper middle class male and say, 'He has a problem.' It just goes to show that if he can be there and be unhappy then anybody can be unhappy."

When asked if show biz success is a recipe for happiness both Pegg and Pike chime in.

"It's a question I have been asked," says Pike. "Fame and money, surely they are the ingredients to a happy life? The point is we keep sadly seeing that unless you are happy before you get those things it's not a recipe for happiness."

"Not to bring it up in a facile way," says Pegg, "but Robin Williams' death is an indication of that.

"I find for me I have to be happy in my real life, in the real world, and if I'm happy there I can be happy elsewhere and can enjoy this job.

"I've been desperately unhappy while working. I remember when I went to L.A. to do Mission Impossible III I wasn't in a great place and I got there and I remember thinking to myself, 'I'm in a film with Tom Cruise and yet I'm unhappy.'

"It was an epiphany for me."

"Obviously the idea of a successful career is that you look like a swan gliding and nobody sees the paddling duck feet," says Pike, "but they're definitely there. I think the message of the film is 'You can't really know happiness unless you are prepared to embrace life with everything it throws at you.' The unhappiness too.

"When you go through something horrific in your life, loss or death or illness or whatever, people say this will make you stronger and you think, 'Oh sod off,' but of course it does.

"It makes you appreciate things in the future more and you do feel happier for having been through the bad times."

metro AR Scan this photo with your Metro News app to see a trailer of Hector and the Search for Happiness, starring Simon Pegg and Rosamund Pike, which opens this Friday in theatres. The film premiered at the Toronto International Film Festival.

CONTRIBUTED

BEFORE THE CONJURING THERE WAS
ANNABELLE
OCTOBER 3
YOU COULD
WIN
Tickets to the Advance Screening on
OCTOBER 1st!
VISIT clubmetro.com TO ENTER
No purchase necessary. Terms & conditions apply. For full contest details and conditions, visit clubmetro.com

AN EXPO FOR NEWCOMERS
Scotiabank PRESENTS
CAREER, EDUCATION & SETTLEMENT FAIR
IN ASSOCIATION WITH idp IELTS
PRESENTED BY CANADIAN IMMIGRANT
EXCITING EXHIBITORS • RESUMÉ CLINIC • INSPIRATIONAL SPEAKERS
IELTS MASTER CLASS • ACCENT REDUCTION WORKSHOP • SPEED MENTORING
MONDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2014
Vancouver Public Library
350 West Georgia St.
FREE ADMISSION
DOORS OPEN: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
CONNECT WITH EMPLOYERS! NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES
DON'T FORGET YOUR RESUMÉ & BUSINESS CARDS!
REGISTER ONLINE NOW: canadianimmigrant.ca/careerfair
PLATINUM SPONSOR
GOLD SPONSOR
MEDIA SPONSORS

Eva Mendes and Ryan Gosling. ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

Are all non-Gosling babies jealous of Ryan's kid?

And now, the latest on new parents Eva Mendes and Ryan Gosling. It's been nearly two weeks since the couple welcomed their new daughter, and apparently the whole thing is taking some getting used to.

"They're both great, but exhausted," a source tells E! News. "They know it's going to be a little while before the baby adjusts to a schedule."

Gosling, for his part, is reportedly "infatuated with the baby," making all other babies in the world seethe with jealousy.

Dr. Dre rakes in $620M just by covering your ears

The headphone business has been very good to Dr. Dre.

The producer and former N.W.A. member has topped Forbes magazine's 2014 list of highest-paid hip-hop acts, pulling in a staggering $620 million, thanks mostly to Apple's purchase of the Beats by Dre headphone line.

That's more than the income of the next 24 artists on the list combined. Jay Z and Diddy share second place, each at $60 million, followed by Drake at $33 million.

Dr. Dre

METRO DISH

OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

The Word

One Direction just keep on over-sharing

NED EHRBAR
Metro in Hollywood

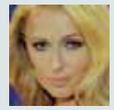
It's hard to imagine that there's anything left to reveal about One Direction, especially after having the start of their career heavily documented on a reality show, being the subject of a Morgan Spurlock-directed documentary and being incessant over-sharers on social media.

But, just in case, there's now a book coming out. The five guys have "written" an "autobiography" called Who We Are that promises "an unprecedented insight into all of it, from their humble beginnings and lives before the X Factor, to recording their first single, touring the world, winning awards, breaking records, and much, much more."

We're putting this one right on the shelf next to Kim Kardashian's book of discarded selfie attempts.

Twitter

@Bitchuation
Will somebody please tell Taylor Swift A CAT IS NOT AN ACCESSORY.



@ParisHilton
To all the paparazzi & people I see waiting outside my hotel for me. Don't waste your time. I'm being a good girl & staying in tonight.

@grantgust
Emma Watson's UN speech on gender equality is amazing & inspiring.

Paulina Gretzky

Paulina belly pic confirms Gretzky will be a grandpa

The Great One is going to be a grandfather. Wayne Gretzky's daughter Paulina announced Tuesday on her Instagram account that she and fiancé, pro golfer Dustin Johnson, are expecting their first child. The 25-year-old posted a photo of herself cradling her belly, with the caption: @djohnsonpga & i are so excited to finally share with you all our amazing news..we're having a baby!!"

Younger brother Trevor Gretzky, a minor-leaguer in the Los Angeles Angels' organization, followed up by tweeting "Uncle Trev" along with the same photo.

It's the first grandchild for the hockey legend and his wife Janet, who have five children. Paulina is the oldest. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Get 18,500 SHOPPERS OPTIMUM BONUS POINTS® WHEN YOU SPEND $75 OR MORE ON ALMOST ANYTHING IN THE STORE.*

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

THAT'S A $25 SAVINGS VALUE!

FREE feels good™

SHOPPERS DRUG MART

*Offer valid on the purchase total of eligible products using a valid Shoppers Optimum Card® after discounts and redemptions and before taxes. Maximum 18,500 points per offer regardless of total dollar value of transaction. Excludes prescription purchases, products that contain codeine, non-pointable items, tobacco products (where applicable), lottery tickets, stamps, transit tickets and passes, event tickets, gift cards, prepaid card products and Shoppers Home Healthcare® locations. Offer applies to photofinishing services that are picked up and paid for on the days of the offer only. Not to be used in conjunction with any other points promotions or offers. See cashier for details. Shoppers Optimum Points® and Shoppers Optimum Bonus Points® have no cash value but are redeemable under the Shoppers Optimum and Shoppers Optimum Plus programs for discounts on purchases at Shoppers Drug Mart. The savings value of the points set out in this offer is calculated based on the Shoppers Optimum Program® rewards schedule in effect at time of this offer and is strictly for use of this limited time promotion. The savings value obtained by redeeming Shoppers Optimum Points will vary depending on the Shoppers Optimum Program reward schedule at time of redemption and other factors, details of which may be found at shoppersdrugmart.ca. ® 911979 Alberta Ltd.

Walking the online runway

Media's models. The maker of Kate Moss explains social media's ever-growing effect on the fashion world

RICHARD PECKETT
Metro World News

Want to get to know Cara Delevingne better? Scan this photo with your Metro News app to see what this social media star has got in her handbag. GETTY IMAGES

Gone are the days when models, like Victorian children, were seen and not heard. Nowadays their social media following on Twitter and Instagram can be as fiscally valuable as their face and figure.

Sarah Doukas, founder of agency Storm Models, explains that "there are girls who have huge followings, so we have to monetize that with a client. We've had to teach them because they would come to us and say, 'It's an advertising job.' We would say, 'What do you mean advertising? Is it e-commerce?' They would hide under the table and it wouldn't mean anything to them but now it should be monetized in a big way. It's a big element."

Cara Delevingne's flock of Twitter followers numbers almost two million, while her Instagram account is just shy of seven million.

The 22-year-old's audience reach rivals that of the big brands such as Burberry, Pepe Jeans and Mulberry for whom she models and subsequently markets for, thanks to her candid behind-the-scenes social media sharing.

"I remember being horrified a couple of years ago when she was in Paris and watching on our computers as Cara was mobbed outside a show by the general public and not by the paparazzi. And I was like, 'God Almighty, this is extraordinary, this cannot be happening,'" exclaims Doukas from her glass-walled office.

Inevitably, Delevingne's clickable antics in entering into the public interest — or rather the interest of the public — creates a ready stream of gossip-fuelled picture stories of bleary-eyed partying or even a snap of the starlet sinking her teeth into model and bestie Jourdan Dunn's butt at the recent GQ Awards.

But Delevingne, who not only survived tabloid accusations of dropping a cocaine baggie outside her London home last year, is in even greater demand with her ineffable mix of disarming charisma and zany ADHD childishness. It's her USP (unique selling point).

"When she was four years old, she was always an unbelievable mile-a-minute jumping bean. I said, 'She will never be tall enough' but I did always think she would act," reminisces Doukas. Of course, she was right.

Sarah Doukas
CONTRIBUTED

Then again, the maker of industry greats has a knack for spotting a marketable quirk.

It's a calculated gamble that saw Australian model Andrej Pejic — now known as Andreja after sexual reassignment surgery — added to the women's and Storm artists boards.

"From the minute I saw Andrej (as she was then), I embraced him as a person because not only was he tremendously beautiful looking but she is also tremendously bright — she is extraordinary," states the scout.

Pejic has since closed the Jean Paul Gaultier show and walked for designers such as Christian Dior and Marc Jacobs, with plans to move into the acting world.

However, Doukas, who set up the agency in 1987, chides the industry for its lack of inclusivity in terms of race and gender diversity.

"I just don't think we have enough diversity."

Designers are still reluctant to move away from the Caucasian esthetic that dominates the runways, although the fashion month cities (New York, London, Milan and Paris) are starting to cast more Asian models.

"It's what they think will sell," remarks Doukas.

She explains that it's the simple fact that the industry comes down to sales that empowers the public both as consumers of fashion and social media to drive the change away from runway and high-street homogeneity.

Doukas believes that "when you get back to the power of social media and if someone like Andreja Pejic can become a voice with all these followers, then brands will be forced to embrace her, or whoever."

Grabbing a game-changer

- **Sarah Doukas is known for having spotted a 14-year-old Kate Moss in New York's JFK Airport in 1988.** Moss was only 170 cm (short by industry standards) and might have been overlooked by a stickler for runway uniformity.

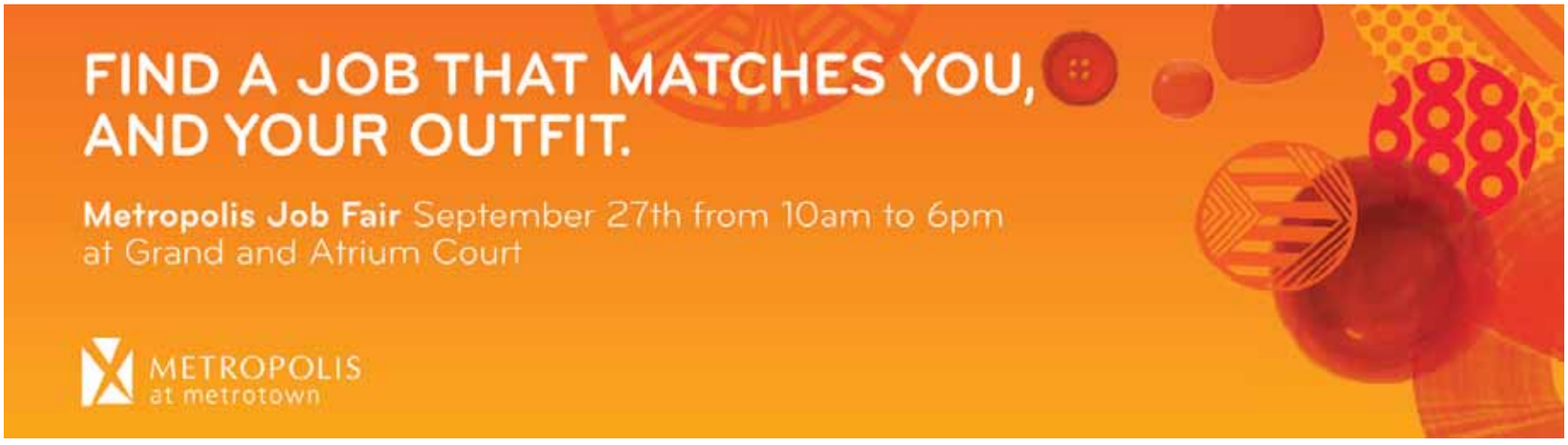
Instagram explosion

"I was like, 'God Almighty, this is extraordinary, this cannot be happening.'"

Sarah Doukas on Cara Delevingne's remarkable rise to fame

ELLE 3

PLUS HOMES


FIND A JOB THAT MATCHES YOU, AND YOUR OUTFIT.
Metropolis Job Fair September 27th from 10am to 6pm
at Grand and Atrium Court
METROPOLIS
at metrotown

Husband swept off his feet by a trio of tiny robotic cleaners

Come clean: We know you're curious. Scan this photo with your Metro News app to watch a video of iRobot's vacuum cleaning robot Roomba in action. CONTRIBUTED

Bah! Roomba!

iRobot's dust- and dirt-devouring gadgets delight skeptical hubby

LARRY GRZEBINSKI
life@metronews.ca

My wife is an electronics junkie. If it whizzes, beeps, whirrs and the lights blink, she has to have it.

In this case, them.

We are now the proud surrogate parents of Roomba 880, Scooba 450 and, the runt of the litter, Braava 380t — we just couldn't split up the kids — the latest generation of iRobot floor cleaners.

As with all things electronic, my wife leaves the boxes where I am most likely to trip over them on the off chance I might "hook them up." This process does not eliminate her inherent wealth of knowledge on how they work, how they will be implemented and who will maintain them because "she's seen the video." With this logic she can launch the space shuttle.

I work from home, so I gave in, released the kids from their containers and put them in their respective charging stations.

But truth alert here: I was skeptical.

iRobot has designed these little WALL-Es to do exactly what WALL-E did — clean. In this case, not quite a derelict asteroid but our small tumbledown home. Roomba vacuums, Scooba washes and Braava mops.

Roomba on a roll

Fully charged, I freed Roomba from its docking station. Off he goes in random patterns, under the couches, between chair legs, on rugs, off rugs — he just doesn't quit. I set him close to a set of stairs and he has sensors that won't let him leap to his death. You can control him from his touch pad or from an included remote control.

Although I'm not familiar with his language, I'm pretty sure beep-beep was a call for help when he managed to get stuck under a chair. "Help" and then he just shut down and waited for me to release him. He can be scheduled to clean at a prescribed time and will park himself when he's done — a trait he will eventually teach my wife.

Scooba do

Scooba is my new best friend. She allows you to determine the room size — "I will now clean a small room, OK?" she declares.

Then off she goes, executing a series of pirouettes and then criss-crossing the floor, laying down the cleaning solution and then sucking it all up.

When she's done she gives herself a couple of shakes, then stops. When you lift her up she states, "I've cleaned a small room. Would you like me to clean another room?" And, "Please empty my dirty water container."

Braava bravo

Braava dry or damp mops any hard floor surface using disposable or reusable microfibre cloths.

Virtual Wall lighthouses guide Roomba and Scooba through room-to-room cleaning while Virtual Wall barriers confine the kids to a specific room or area.

After a week, I can tell you, these guys pick up a lot of stuff. The Roomba container looks like it manufactured its own fur ball and was only usurped by Scooba's liquid waste. I think she cleaned my driveway.

We will be bonding on a weekly basis.

For more information, go to iRobot.com.

Meet the iRobot 'kids'

iRobot Roomba 880 Vacuum Cleaning Robot $799.99

- Finds dirt and debris, focusing extra cleaning where it's needed most
- HEPA filter captures fine debris
- Roomba can be scheduled to clean on its own up to seven times a week

iRobot Scooba 450 Floor Scrubbing Robot $699.99

- Sweeps, pre-soaks, scrubs and squeegees
- Two cleaning options: 40-minute cycle cleans up to 300 square feet and a 20-minute cycle for up to 150 square feet

iRobot Braava 380t Floor Mopping Robot $349.99

- Two cleaning modes for damp or dry cleaning
- Covers the entire floor in one pass
- Charges in two hours

A bonding experience

After a week, I can tell you, these guys pick up a lot of stuff. The Roomba container looks like it manufactured its own fur ball and was only usurped by Scooba's liquid waste.

PREVIEWS BEGIN THIS SATURDAY!

BRENTWOOD TWO

BRENTWOOD
A SHAPE CENTRE

563 NEW HOMES STARTING FROM $299,900

THE BEST VALUE IN METRO VANCOUVER:

1. AN IMPECCABLY DESIGNED COMMUNITY
2. SKYTRAIN© STATION RIGHT ON SITE
3. 350+ SHOPS, SERVICES, AND RESTAURANTS
4. ONE-ACRE EVENT PLAZA AND YEAR-ROUND ENTERTAINMENT
5. 365-DAY, 24-HOUR A-DAY SERVICE AND SECURITY
6. DISTINCTIVE ARCHITECTURE AND INTELLIGENT INTERIORS
7. AMAZING VIEWS IN EVERY DIRECTION
8. **A SOUND INVESTMENT WITH LONG-TERM APPRECIATION**

VISIT THE PRESENTATION CENTRE & SHOW HOMES
4567 Lougheed Highway, Burnaby (Brentwood Mall). Open daily12-5pm
THEAMAZINGBRENTWOOD.COM **604.563.8386**

The developer reserves the right to make changes and modifications to the information contained herein without prior notice. This is not an offering for sale. E.&O.E.

SHAPE | LIVING

RENNIE MARKETING SYSTEMS

Decor for shared off-campus digs

Getting your stuff together. Practical decorating solutions for living with housemates include lots of storage and multi-use pieces

For college kids who move off-campus, learning to accommodate the styles and needs of housemates is good practice for life after school.

Take Erica Weidrick and Caitrin Curtis, upperclassmen at the University of North Carolina, who are moving into a new townhouse with a third friend. While they'd all been living together for a year already in a dorm, they wanted some organization and style help with this new arrangement.

Here are some typical problem areas, with advice from two designers on how to solve them:

A wall shelf with hooks and cubbies helps keep things organized. TARGET/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Front door dump

"We all come in and just drop our stuff in a pile, and sometimes mail gets lost or keys disappear — usually when we're late," says Weidrick.

Veronica Valencia, a Los Angeles-based designer and stylist, suggests setting up a bin for each housemate, and not allowing any overflow.

"It's true, we hit the front door and everything we've been hauling all day falls to the floor," says Valencia, who blogs at DesignHunterLA.com.

"If it doesn't fit in the bin, you have to put it away immediately," she says. "I love fabric bins or wood crates. If you have an entry table, consider fabric wrapped magazine boxes, one for each person."

Weidrick and Curtis also liked a wall shelf with hooks and small baskets for keys and mail.

Common area clutter

"The living room is a challenge because that's where we spend most of our time, so it's where most of our junk ends up. It's hard to keep a shared space organized when everyone is coming and going at different times," Curtis says.

What they need is stylish storage where the clutter can hide when company comes.

Valencia's fix: "Two words: Storage ottomans!"

Consider an ottoman in faux leather or suede, with a flip-top tray that can be used as a resting place for TV remotes, phones and snack dishes. Clutter can be scooped inside when the need arises, and, voila! The ottoman provides extra seating.

Trunks in a common living space can serve as mini individual dining tables, storage for blankets and out-of-season items, or as tidy-up receptacles when guests arrive. PBTEEN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

FALL HOME RENOVATION SHOW
Oct 4-5, 2014
Hard Rock Casino Theatre
2080 United Blvd, Coquitlam
Get Advice From Renovation & Design Experts
SAT Oct 4 10 AM - 5 PM
SUN Oct 5 11 AM - 4 PM
FREE:
+ Exhibition & Seminars
+ One-on-one consultations
+ Parking
+ Chance to Win Prizes!
See details & pre-register at:
www.gvhba.org
Event organized by:
BBB
MEMBER
GREATER VANCOUVER HOME BUILDERS' ASSOCIATION
gvhba.org
* Trade-mark of the Council of Better Business Bureaus, used under License

A living area with trunks and bins is perfect for a shared off-campus home. PBTEEN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

M. Elodie Froment, PB Teen's vice-president, product development, suggests using a pair of trunks.

"They're great because you can store extra blankets and other essentials."

Trunks come in a variety of finishes that can appeal to guys and girls.

Common area style

"We all want our shared space to be warm and relaxed, like our bedrooms," says Curtis. "But the living room and kitchen are supposed to be social spots, and it's nice to be able to change the atmosphere from 'just chilling' to 'hosting a party.'"

Valencia's answer is to "think in terms of movable and modular. Add floor pillows so your coffee table can accommodate a study group, and poufs for extra seating on movie night."

She suggests sharing Pinterest inspirations and finding styles and patterns that all the housemates can live with. Your own room's where you'll be able to put your personal stamp.

For common areas, Froment says, "Pick a neutral colour scheme for the larger furniture items, and add splashes of personality with decorative pillows, art and decor. If you're not planning on painting your walls, identify one to decorate with removable wall paper or decals."

If floors are bare, add a rugged nylon rug in a bold geometric or floral. If you can't afford or agree on artwork, the rugs bring pattern to the floor and give rooms a finished feel that's a little more grown-up.

Weidrick and Curtis like ambient lighting that will turn down the stresses of school.

Froment suggests a fun floor lamp, perhaps pairing it with a playful wall light. "Accent with string lights for a soft glow," she says.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Decorate with decals

"If you're not planning on painting your walls, identify one to decorate with removable wall paper or decals."

PB Teen vice-president M. Elodie Froment

Bedroom space

In bedrooms, Valencia follows the "3H" rule of organizing: "Hamper, hooks and a hanging closet organizer."

PARK AVENUE
WEST

SURREY'S LARGEST URBAN COMMUNITY

*GET AN EXPLORATION PACKAGE WORTH **$650****

SURREY TRANSFORMATION SELFIE TOUR

explore the city, take a selfie.

Come explore Surrey City Centre and see the transformation. Receive a $650 Exploration Package by simply snapping a few selfies at designated locations!

Exploration Package includes gift certificates and coupons to local vendors as well as other amazing offers.

250 HOMES UNDER $250,000

See Map & Instructions at
ParkAvenueLiving.ca

**Must be 19 years of age or older to participate. One per family.*

SURREY SALES CENTRE:
9908 KING GEORGE BLVD. (NEXT TO KING GEORGE SKYTRAIN STATION)
OPEN DAILY, 12PM - 6PM

ParkAvenueLiving.ca
604.583.9866

Actual suite interiors, exteriors and views may be noticeably different than what is depicted in photographs and renderings. The developer reserves the right to make modifications, substitutions, change brands, sizes, colours, layouts, materials, ceiling heights, features, finishes and other specifications without prior notification. Such details are governed by the applicable offer to purchase and agreement of sale, and disclosure statement. This is not an offering for sale. Any such offering can only be made with the applicable offer to purchase and agreement of sale, and disclosure statement. E&OE. Concord Park Avenue Project Limited Partnership

CONCORD PACIFIC

Mix-and-match mid-century modern

Versatile season. While some styles take the spotlight, there are lots of supporting players

Are you a fan of mid-century modern? Drawn to classic elegance? Does the handicraft of global decor grab you?

There was an era when experts said to pick just one, but now we can mix and match or go all in. Each season brings updated versions of successful pieces, plus an interesting array of new looks.

This fall's no exception.

"Keep an eye out for versatile accent pieces, the kind that can work in a myriad of places, and consider material and colour combinations," says Beth Kushnick, set decorator for CBS's The Good Wife. "These are some of the easiest ways to refresh any space, and there's a ton of stylish options out right now at a range of price points."

After her sophisticated sets drew an online following, Kushnick has created her own furnishings line, which debuts this fall.

She says fall 2014 is about finding pieces that provide maximum impact without a lot of effort.

Some themes this season:

Touch of fall

"Look for texture-rich accessories — like a box with stone inlay or a wooden sculpture — that add an element of nature to your space. Mix in a variety of metals to add a sense of luxury," Kushnick advises.

Says Los Angeles-based designer Trip Haenisch: "I'm seeing a lot of fabrics with luxe textures this season. Linen velvets and woven fabrics are really in. You can quickly and inexpensively incorporate texture into your space through the use of pillows and throws." (triphaenisch.com)

At fall previews, retailers were showing soft throws shot through with metallic threads or embroidered with subtle sequins. Rose gold is the ingenue on the metallics stage; its soft, pink-tinged finish looks new, and you'll see it on tabletop accessories, lamps, even silverware.

Warm brass continues to play a big role, trimming tables, embedded in wooden trays, formed into curvy or linear vases and lamps. It picks up the mid-century vibe but suits traditional spaces, too. Chrome and acrylic hit contemporary high notes.

On ceramics, you'll find reactive and dip glazes, and more matte finishes than ever before.

Mercury glass, a decor darling for the past few seasons, gets a few tweaks with etched patterns and added colour.

Style signposts

After a few seasons in a supporting role, mid-century modern takes the lead this fall and winter. Accent chairs are armless or lower-profile, and furniture has either a California-chic or Danish-modern vibe.

New York furniture studio Miles & May has a collection of dressers and cabinets at West Elm in walnut veneer, and that finish is also on the Grasshopper office desk. (westelm.com)

Upholstered furniture gets its shirt tucked in. No more slouchy, sloppy slipcovers — the newest pieces tend toward trim and tight, but in comfier, softer fabrics.

We're seeing a lot of side and coffee tables with metal legs. West Elm's Waldorf coffee table is a slim rosewood slab perched on skinny brass legs. Cyan Designs' Portman end tables are lacy, laser-cut iron drums. You'll see faceted pieces across the accessory spectrum, in mirrors, containers and trays.

Pop culture from the '70s and '80s shows up in vibrant retro-print pillows, furniture and accents. Check out Jonathan Adler's sherbet-hued Brigitte chair and Holli Zollinger's upbeat woven rugs for Deny Designs. (jonathanadler.com; denydesigns.com)

Global tribal motifs maintain a powerful presence, with India, the Americas and Africa strongly represented. World Market's got a collection of well-priced round, carved tribal tables. (worldmarket.com)

In bedding, drapery, rug and upholstery fabrics, look for more new woodblock, paisley and medallion prints.

Ikat, kantha print and medallions grace textile collections at Pottery Barn, and there are Mexican tile print ceramics there too. (potterybarn.com)

Accessories like carved animals, woven art, sculpted paper and ceramic vases, and ironwork and glass items draw from distant cultures.

Vintage-style globes, steamer trunks, map art and travel advertising continue to interest home decorators. There's herringbone, tweed, plaid, Fair Isle knit patterns and lots of new takes on faux fur — Nordic and Danish designs in textiles as well as kitchen and dining items.

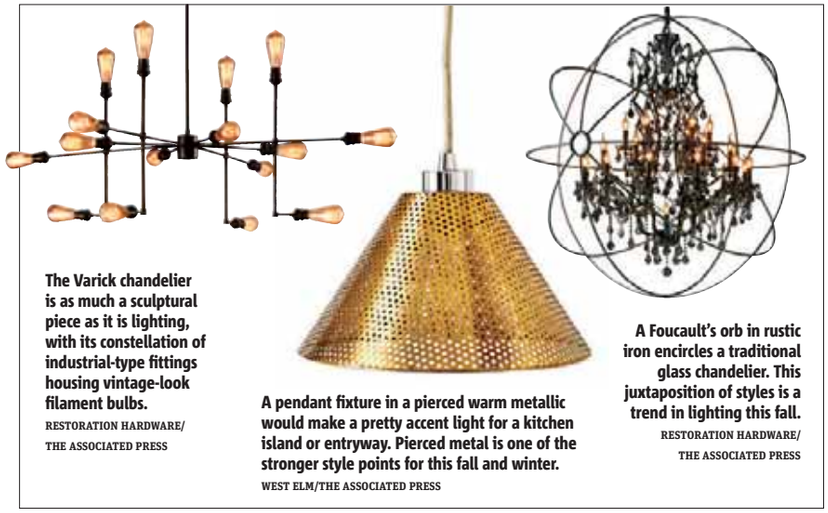
The rustic romantic look also has staying power, with outdoorsy pursuits informing everything from art to dishware. Native American motifs have graphic style; DGoods crafts a trio of wood nesting tables with a design reminiscent of a Navajo blanket. (purehome.com)

Look for feathers, camper vans, arrows, foxes and trees, and expect this look to be represented in holiday decor as well. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Colour salute

Play with colour, set decorator Beth Kushnick urges.

- "There are some gorgeous greys and subtle greens out this fall, and 2014's radiant orchid and coral add a lush pop almost anywhere," she says. "You can make a big splash just by updating a wall colour or bringing in a few vibrant accent pieces."
- You'll also see carrot, purple, lemongrass, ochre, clove, molasses and olive in throw pillows, bedding and upholstery.



The Varick chandelier is as much a sculptural piece as it is lighting, with its constellation of industrial-type fittings housing vintage-look filament bulbs. RESTORATION HARDWARE/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A pendant fixture in a pierced warm metallic would make a pretty accent light for a kitchen island or entryway. Pierced metal is one of the stronger style points for this fall and winter. WEST ELM/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A Foucault's orb in rustic iron encircles a traditional glass chandelier. This juxtaposition of styles is a trend in lighting this fall. RESTORATION HARDWARE/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Finn sofa is offered in nubby wools, velvets, suede and chenille. A more buttoned-up approach to upholstery reflects the mid-century vibe, but we're seeing softer materials. WEST ELM/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A Clover coffee table takes an iconic mid-century shape and is available in a variety of finishes, including red and teal blue. WEST ELM/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A Grasshopper desk has a walnut veneer and slender legs that give it a mid-century dash of style. WEST ELM/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Faceted decor is a big part of fall 2014. The Stria vase collection's hallmark is a graphic faceted shape. WAYFAIR.COM/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A unique residential experience

Onni's Northwest will be one of most sought after spots

CONTRIBUTED

South Cambie Village, off of Marine and Cambie, is in a state of rapid development, driving away the image of an area meant for industry and into one of comfortable living.

Several towers are currently being developed there, as well, and standing out among them is Onni's Northwest, located at on one of the most sought after spots in the entire city of Vancouver.

"Northwest will offer a truly unique residential experience," says Nick Belmar, vice-president of sales for Onni. "Residents can take advantage of proximity to the retail village, the Canada Line, the bike lanes and still come home to a quiet location backing onto a park and elementary school. It's an investment no-brainer for downsizers already living in the area, for investors and for parents who want proximity to good schools and a west side address."

The two-tower, LEED Gold development is comprised of 340 homes, ranging from one-bedroom to three-bedroom designs. It will be next to Ash Park and situated on top of ground-floor retail units.

Inside of Northwest, homeowners can take advantage of several luxurious amenities — a fitness centre, 24-hour concierge, high-efficiency heating and cooling, podium-level roof deck, integrated appliances, wood cabinetry, marble flooring and accents, double-nosed counters, and sleek roller blinds, to name a few. But what makes Northwest stand out is the location. It's far enough from the hustle of the city to feel like a comfortable and quiet community, but close enough to make having a night out an easy choice.

Couple that with the stunning views from the Fraser River to the North Shore Mountains, and Vancouver Island, and it's easy to see why Onni chose this spot to develop.

Northwest will be located at 8175 Cambie St., with homes starting at $269,000.

INTEREST IN SOUTH CAMBIE SKYROCKETING

CONTRIBUTED

Nestled in the heart of Marpole, right on the corner of Marine and Cambie, lies the rapidly growing neighbourhood affectionately called South Cambie Village.

Ever since the completion of the Canada Line in 2009, development in the area has quickly shifted towards comfortable residential living and retail, including condominiums such as Onni's Northwest towers.

This development is one of many new emerging sites in the area, a complement to the Marine Gateway development directly across the road, which will include a pedestrian-friendly outdoor mall and retail hub featuring an 11-theatre Cineplex, an Osaka Supermarket, Starbucks, A&W, TD Canada Trust, CIBC, BMO, liquor store, Subway, Irish pub, and more.

"This area was once almost entirely industrial, but ever since the Canada Line was introduced the livability and interest in the area has skyrocketed," says Onni's Nick Belmar. "Not only will there be these great amenities around these new homes, but this particular location is incredibly unique to Vancouver."

Belmar pointed out how this corner is nine minutes from the airport in one direction and 15 minutes from downtown in the other, offering homeowners a private, comfortable community, while still being close to downtown life — or a plane out of the country.

"Demand has only grown in this area over the past few years, and the value of this real estate is only going to continue to grow," Belmar says.

Off the corner of Marine and Cambie are several bike lanes, including the pedestrian- and bicycle-friendly bridge leading into Richmond just two blocks away.

With SkyTrains, buses, and bicycle lanes leading both into downtown and the surrounding areas, the need for a car is eliminated, Belmar says.

Priority registration is now available online with sales expected to start later this year. For more information and to make sure you are on the list to receive updates as soon as they are released, visit onni.com.

"This area is growing into one of the best spots in the entire city," Belmar says. "It's going to be a wonderful place to live."

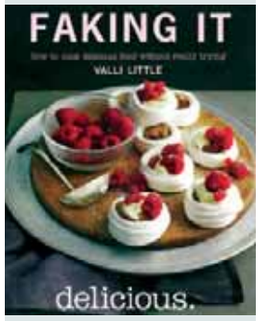
EVERYTHING YOU NEED IS CLOSE BY

By 2025, Vancouver plans to be the greenest city in the world, and developments such as Onni's Northwest are giving would-be homeowners the chance to pitch in and be connected everywhere without the need for a car.

"You're connected everywhere, and you don't need to go far to get groceries or have some fun," says Nick Belmar, Onni's vice-president of sales. "Combine that with a growing retail hub and those who live in Northwest can stay connected with the nightlife and excitement of the downtown core, but have the quiet comfort of a close neighbourhood."

Cookbook of the Week

Delicious (and effortless) dining



Time and ideas are things on which many cooks find themselves short. Faking It by Valli Little is here to help, whether you need to make fast mid-week dinners or impressive dishes for entertaining. The book focuses on recipes that require only a few ingredients and is filled with clever shortcuts as well. Faking It features more than 100 recipes, including: Gnocchi-topped Cottage Pies, Sushi Rice Bowl, Oven-Baked Lamb Curry, Easy Baklava and more. METRO

Ultimate fusion of hearty tastes

Tomato Soup With Spaghetti And Chicken Meatballs. This dish is so easy all you have to decide is fork or spoon

Ingredients

- 1 tbsp olive oil
- 1 onion, thinly sliced
- 2 garlic cloves, finely chopped
- 1 tbsp tomato paste
- 2 x 400 g cans chopped tomatoes
- 1.25 l (5 cups) chicken stock
- 500 g thin chicken sausages
- 100 g spaghetti, broken into 5 cm lengths
- Chopped basil, grated
- Parmesan and crusty bread, to serve

1. Heat the oil in a large saucepan over medium heat. Add the onion and cook for 2-3 minutes, stirring, until softened. Add the garlic and tomato paste and cook, stirring, for a further 1 minute. Add the tomatoes and 21/2 cups (625 ml) of the chicken stock. Bring to the boil, then reduce the heat to low and simmer for 20 minutes while you make the meatballs.

2. For the meatballs, place the remaining 21/2 cups (625 ml) chicken stock in a saucepan and bring to the boil. Squeeze the sausage meat from the casings and form into about 30 small (3 cm) meatballs. Add meatballs to the stock and simmer for 10 minutes until cooked through. Remove meatballs to a plate with a slotted spoon, then return stock to the boil. Add the spaghetti and cook until al dente. Drain, discarding the stock.

3. Use a stick blender to blend the soup until smooth (or blend in batches in a blender, then return to the pan). Add the cooked spaghetti and meatballs to the soup and warm through gently for 5 minutes over low heat. Ladle the soup into bowls, garnish with basil and Parmesan, then serve with your favourite crusty bread. EXCERPTED FROM FAKING IT BY VALLI LITTLE ©2014. PUBLISHED BY HARPERCOLLINS CANADA. ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.

This recipe serves four to six. ©BRETT STEVENS AND IAN WALLACE

There is no cure. Prevention is the only way to save lives. Your help is urgently needed to stop the spread of this highly contagious disease.

Your donation will help provide life-saving, disease-containment programs, large-scale, public-health promotions and direct support for affected families.

HUMANITARIAN COALITION
Together saving more lives

The cost of this ad has been generously donated by: metro

CRISIS ALERT:
Donate online at together.ca
or call 1-800-464-9154

BCIT fab 50
celebration

SATURDAY OCTOBER 4, 12–4 PM

Come celebrate BCIT's 50th anniversary! With a 1964 retro theme, you'll look back at our past with displays of vintage photos, equipment, and machinery. Reunite with old friends and share your own souvenirs from your time at BCIT. Enjoy guided tours, entertainment, food, and fun activities for kids. Everyone is welcome. 1964 fashion is encouraged.

bcit.ca/50

BCIT 50 YEARS

MLB

Buehrle outduels Walker in Jays' win over Mariners

Mark Buehrle was dominant over eight-plus innings and Ryan Goins drove in Munenori Kawasaki with the game's only run as the Toronto Blue Jays defeated the Seattle Mariners 1-0 on Wednesday night at Rogers Centre.

Kawasaki drew a one-out walk on Seattle starter Taijuan Walker in the eighth inning. After an Anthony Gose strikeout, Goins hit a blooper into shallow right-centre field that allowed Kawasaki to score all the way from first base.

Buehrle, who reached the 200-inning mark for the 14th consecutive season, started the ninth but was pulled after giving up a leadoff single to Chris Taylor. He struck out 10 and allowed only three hits and a walk. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Tony Stewart

Grand jury decides against charges

After more than six weeks in limbo, NASCAR star Tony Stewart finally got the news he had been hoping for.

A grand jury that heard testimony from more than two dozen witnesses, including accident reconstruction experts and drivers, and looked at photographs and video decided against bringing criminal charges against Stewart for the death of 20-year-old sprint car driver Kevin Ward Jr. during an Aug. 9 race.

That doesn't mean it's over.

A few hours after Ontario County District Attorney Michael Tantillo announced the grand jury's decision, the Ward family indicated in a statement that they will seek civil damages for his death.
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MLS

Dallas' Texeira tags Sounders for loss

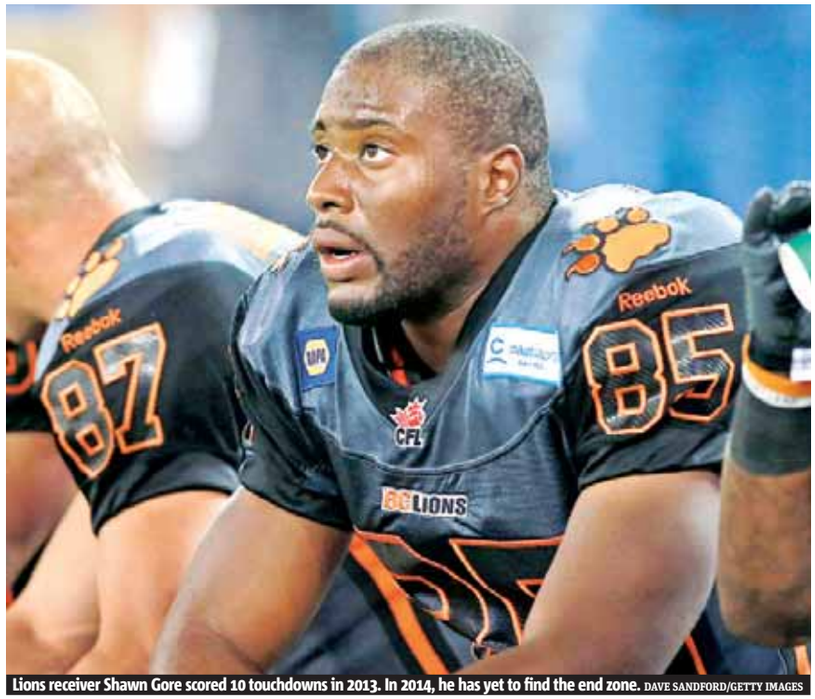
David Texeira scored two goals to help FC Dallas beat the Seattle Sounders 3-1 on Wednesday night.

FC Dallas (14-10-6) avenged two early season losses to Seattle (17-9-3) and beat the Sounders for only the second time in the last 10 meetings.
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Lions have more to give, Gore says

CFL. Veteran receiver is aware of his decline in touchdowns but insists only wins matter

CAM TUCKER
cam.tucker@metronews.ca



Lions receiver Shawn Gore scored 10 touchdowns in 2013. In 2014, he has yet to find the end zone. DAVE SANDFORD/GETTY IMAGES

As a receiver in the Canadian Football League, Shawn Gore is aware of his production. Numbers just come with the job.

"A lot of our position is based on stats," the veteran B.C. Lions receiver said Wednesday.

"So you look at the stats, you look at the numbers. You're aware of them. But you're also aware of the context."

The context, Gore pointed out, is that individual stats can be great, but in a team sport, wins matter most.

After a dreadful showing on home turf against the Toronto Argonauts last Friday, the Lions are on the road to face their West Division rivals and leaders, the Calgary Stampeders, on Saturday.

The loss dropped B.C.'s record to 7-5. The Leos remain fourth in the division and may need to rely on the crossover to get into the playoffs.

Difficult to believe, and it might take a few glances to sink in, but Gore has yet to score a touchdown this season.

He had a career-high 10 — eight receiving, two rushing — last year.

You could point to a number of different factors to argue why Gore's overall production could possibly be down — constant change of personnel on the offensive line, finding chemistry with a new quarterback, there's only one football on the field.

"I think, when you take a look at his skill set and what he brings to the table, he needs to be a bigger part of what we do," head coach Mike Benevides said of Gore.

Quoted

"I don't think anyone feels like they're playing to their best ability."
Lions receiver Shawn Gore

Gore's reduced touchdown production mirrors that of the Lions.

They've scored only 22 offensive touchdowns, which puts them sixth out of nine teams.

From an individual and team standpoint, Gore agreed there's more to give.

"Me, personally, definitely. I think everyone on this team does," he said. "I don't think anyone feels like they're playing to their best ability.

"Wins are all that matter. Really, once the playoffs start, what you did in the regular season doesn't matter."

Canucks assign three to junior ranks

Canucks prospect Jordan Subban will report back to the OHL's Belleville Bulls. AARON BELL/OHL IMAGES

The Vancouver Canucks reduced their training camp roster, the day after split-squad exhibition games against the San Jose Sharks.

The Canucks re-assigned defencemen Jordan Subban to the Belleville Bulls in the Ontario Hockey League, Anton Cederholm to the Portland WinterHawks in the Western Hockey League, and centre Cole Cassels to the Oshawa Generals in the OHL.

The Canucks also released free agent goalie Austin Lotz, who had earned a spot at main camp after a good showing at the Young Stars Tournament in Penticton.

Subban impressed in his first pre-season game with the Canucks, scoring on a slap shot from the point and playing a poised game, especially after Alex Edler left in the first period and Vancouver's squad at Rogers Arena was reduced to five defencemen.

Subban's older brother, Montreal Canadiens star P.K. Subban, quickly tweeted out how proud he was to watch his sibling score his first NHL pre-season goal.

However, Subban's positive showing ended on a negative note.

Two Vancouver newspapers published an offensive caption under a photo of the 19-year-old Subban celebrating his goal, prompting outcry and criticism from hockey fans and media organizations in Canada and the U.S. Both newspapers, the Vancouver Sun and The Province, apologized, calling it an "egregious error."

The Canucks are on the road Thursday. They'll play the Calgary Flames in their third pre-season game.
CAM TUCKER/METRO

4 SPORTS

Sudoku

How to play
Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved.

7			9		5			6
	3		7		2		1	
		8				7		
		6	8		1	3		
3								5
		7	6		9	8		
		1				6		
	7		3		6		4	
5			4		8			2

Yesterday's Sudoku

4	1	9	7	6	2	3	5	8
6	8	2	3	5	1	9	4	7
3	7	5	8	9	4	2	1	6
9	6	7	5	2	3	4	8	1
1	3	4	6	7	8	5	9	2
2	5	8	4	1	9	6	7	3
5	2	3	1	4	7	8	6	9
8	4	1	9	3	6	7	2	5
7	9	6	2	8	5	1	3	4

Write as many three or more letter words as possible with these letters
A U A C B S
CANADA'S SMARTEST PERSON
#smartestperson

Horoscopes by Sally Brompton

♈ Aries
March 21 - April 20
Uranus in your sign can at times make you feel a bit tense but today's link to Jupiter, planet of good fortune, will chill you out no end. Partners and loved ones will see the difference in your attitude, and respond in kind.

♉ Taurus
April 21 - May 21
There is a rational explanation for everything that happens but sometimes things happen that make you wonder if there is not more going on. Keep your mind open over the next day.

♊ Gemini
May 22 - June 21
A wonderful aspect between the heavyweight planets Jupiter and Uranus means you are in tune with the spirit of the times, so sing along and find fun in everything you do.

♋ Cancer
June 22 - July 23
The choices you make over the next few days will have a major impact on your social or professional reputation, so make them wisely. Above all don't let other people rush you into cutting corners.

♌ Leo
July 24 - Aug. 23
Something you said a while back was taken out of context and a rival is now using it against you. Set the record straight today. They need to be reminded that no one, but no one, gets the better of Leo.

♍ Virgo
Aug. 24 - Sept. 23
If you try to talk your way out of trouble today chances are you won't succeed. If, however, you admit you made a mistake, you will be forgiven with no questions asked.

♎ Libra
Sept. 24 - Oct. 23
You may seem calm and confident on the outside but deep down you fear the worst. The good news is that whatever it is that has got you so worried will be out of your life by the end of the day. So lighten up.

♏ Scorpio
Oct. 24 - Nov. 22
Domestic and work arrangements may change at a moment's notice today, but that's OK. You are adaptable enough to change with them and make it all seem effortless.

♐ Sagittarius
Nov. 23 - Dec. 21
You may recently have lost something of value but what you gain over the next few days will more than make up for it. Change does not have to be a bad thing.

♑ Capricorn
Dec. 22 - Jan. 20
Partnership problems may be causing you concern but don't fear. Certain relationships have fallen into a rut and need to be revitalized. What is painful in the short-term will be useful in the long-term.

♒ Aquarius
Jan. 21 - Feb. 19
Uranus, your ruler, is brilliantly aligned with luck planet Jupiter today, so how can you possibly lose? You can't, so decide what you most want to do then give it your best shot. You'll succeed.

♓ Pisces
Feb. 20 - March 20
The planets suggest you are about to make a momentous decision, the kind that could change the whole course of your life. But are you making it for the right reasons? Make sure you answer that honestly.

AUGMENTED REALITY

Stuck on 12 Across? Scan this image with your Metro News app for today's crossword and Sudoku answers. It's OK. No one's watching.

metro AR

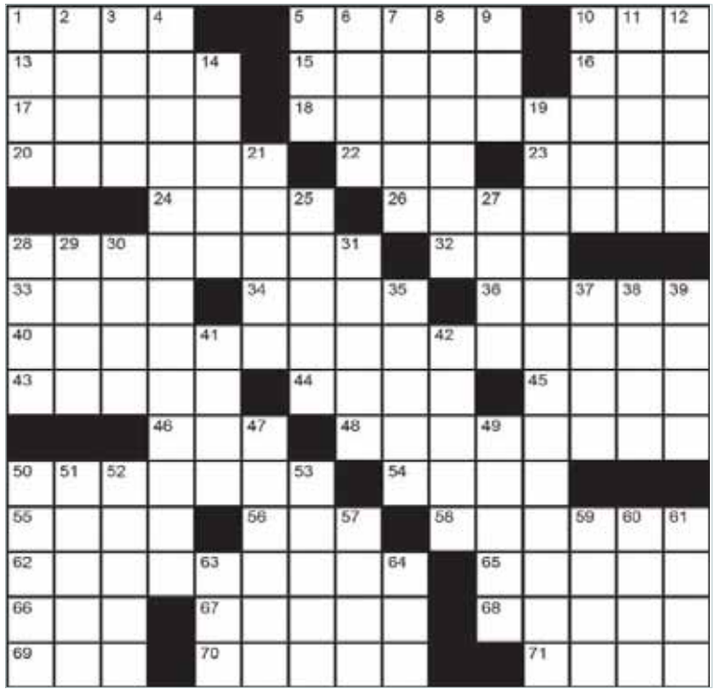
→ See the full instructions on Metro's Voices page.

Yesterday's Crossword

Online

See today's answers at metronews.ca/answers

Crossword: Canada Across and Down by Kelly Ann Buchanan



Across

1. Get an '_' __ effort
5. Impede, in law
10. Blue
13. French novelist Victor, and surnamesakes
15. Scenic suffix to 'Sea'
16. Pressure meas.
17. Insurance __
18. Lady Gaga hit: 2 wds.
20. Capital of Argentina, __ Aires
22. Montreal 1976: Nadia's number
23. Demonstration disturbance
24. Welsh actor Mr. Gruffudd
26. Stand-ins for monarchs
28. Arfer like Farley in Canuck comic strip For Better or For Worse
32. Hideaway
33. Per
34. Book of __ (Old Testament book)
36. Pinnacles
40. Marvel's Wolverine character: 2 wds.
43. Actress Madeleine
44. Dollop
45. Queens __ (Street in Toronto's waterfront)
46. Mary __ (Cosmetics company)
48. Causes confusion/chaos
50. Restrictive stairway
19. St. Boniface, Winnipeg's __ __
21. Anwar __ (Former Egyptian President)
25. __ _ _ _ added (Restaurant declaration)
27. Equipment
28. Tiny terms
29. High society, __ monde
30. Prefix meaning 'Outer'
31. Toronto-born pianist Glenn
35. Bungle
37. "Start __ __" by The Rolling Stones
38. 'E' in QED
39. Some beans [var. sp]
41. Shipshape
42. Actor Buddy
47. "__ Submarine" by The Beatles
49. Monetary units in Oman
50. Tastes
51. __ Setter (Woof!)
52. Not shiny, as foundation
53. "Cheers" character
57. Cut
59. Tunesmith Laura
60. Composer Mr. Berlin, et al.
61. On the Atlantic
63. "__ about time!"
64. Sept.'s follower
54. George Lucas heroine
55. Persia, now
56. 51s ...ancient Rome style
58. C.S. Lewis fantasy land
62. Vancouver neighbourhood
65. Buzz of "Toy Story" (1995), et al.
66. East: French
67. Gin and __
68. Cater to
69. "__ sells seashells..."
70. "__ Away" (2002) starring Madonna
71. Artist Ms. Bonheur (b.1822 - d.1899)

Down

1. Captain in 1956's "Moby Dick"
2. Particular pufferfish
3. S-shaped moulding
4. Rocker from Arkansas, an Honorary Officer of the Order of Canada: 2 wds.
5. Second sight, shortly
6. Glaswegian
7. Census __
8. Premiered
9. For each
10. Madrid's locale
11. Tie type
12. Cuts out sugar, perhaps
14. Brownstone

Answers Q1: BAngry, Q2: 21 possible

RENEWING
RIVERVIEW
IMAGINE THE POSSIBILITIES

Be part of the Vision

We are hosting our third public event for the Riverview Lands Vision Process.

Share your ideas at the upcoming community Co-Design workshops.

- *Brainstorm ideas for the future life of Riverview.*
- *Participate in a group with an artist to create a scene that depicts a day in the life on the Riverview Lands.*
- *View the drawings.*

Join us for the whole event or just one part. Pre-registration strongly encouraged but not required.

Event Details

Date: **Tuesday, September 23, 2014**

Time: 4:30pm - 8:00pm

Location: Douglas College, Coquitlam
1250 Pinetree Way, Coquitlam
(Atrium)

Date: **Saturday, September 27, 2014**

Time: 10:00am - 1:30pm

Location: Centennial Pavilion, (updated address)
620 Poirier Street, Coquitlam
(Beside Dogwood Pavilion,
entrance off Winslow Avenue)

Online

If you cannot attend the open house in person, we invite you to participate online.

Drawings will be displayed on our website: **www.renewingriverview.com**. Starting October 6, view illustrated ideas online.

For more information or to register, contact:

t: 604.216.7057

e: questions@renewingriverview.com